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COBB AND SPEAKER TO BEGIN VINDICATION BATTLE

To Reach Detroit This Afternoon To Start Some Action

Lawyer Who Has Been Retained To Confer With Former Stars

LEGAL ACTION IS BEING CONTEMPLATED

Suit For Slander Or Damage Suit Will Be Filed By Pair

(International News Service)
DETROIT, Dec. 29. — Ty Cobb and Tris Speaker, pointly charged by Hubert ("Dutch") Leonard with throwing a Cleveland-Detroit baseball game will arrive here this afternoon from Cleveland to make plans to begin their fight for vindication.

Immediately upon arrival Cobb and Speaker and the latter's lawyer, William Boyd of Cleveland, will go into conference with J. O. Murfin, former circuit court judge, who has been retained by Cobb.

Murfin said it is still undetermined whether Speaker will join Cobb in joint legal action here or whether he will start separate action through Boyd in Cleveland.

"Just what action will be taken, whether it shall be a suit for slander against the American league and K. M. Landis or whether it shall be a bill in equity will be determined at this meeting," Murfin said.

Complete Program For Watch Night In Central Church

Services Will Be Held Under Auspices Of Ministerial Association And Young People's Division

Complet arrangements have been made for the Watch Night service to be conducted in Central Presbyterian church on the diamond on Friday evening New Year's Eve, under the auspices of the New Castle Ministerial association and the Young People's Sunday School division.

An attractive joint program suitable for the occasion has been arranged by T. J. Davies, superintendent of the Young People's division of the New Castle district.

Short talks by a number of the minsters and selections by an orchestra comprised of young people from orchestras from various Sunday schools throughout the city, directed by Albert Bauman, Jr., will be outstanding features of the evening.

The services will begin at 9:30 with the young people's program with Miss Geneva Fleming associate superintendent presiding. Katherine McLaughlin will be the pianist. A sketch "Wanted a Wife" will be presented by the Epworth league of the First Methodist church with Emmaline McLaughlin in charge. A social hour in charge of Clarence Bratchie will be enjoyed at which time a free lunch will be served by the Christian Endeavor society. The young people of Central church will give a playlet directed by Margaret Lowery. Pep singing will also feature with Ruth Patton at the piano.

The devotional hour will open at 11 o'clock in charge of the ministers with Dr. C. B. Wingerd presiding. Talks will feature this part of the service. The opening address will be given by Rev. C. H. Holcomb who will speak on "The Old Year."

"The New Year" will be discussed by Rev. S. B. Copeland. "In the Beginning God" Rev. G. C. Fohner; "Taking an Inventory" Rev. George M. Landis; "Forward Look" Rev. A. J. Randles.

The evening will close with the consecration prayer. On Thursday evening the orchestra will meet for rehearsal in Central church.

SLIGHT ACCIDENT

F. J. Thompson, 230 East Cherry street, reported today that while driving north on Permar Way, that the car of Charles Perry, R. D. No. 6, going east on Croton avenue, collided with and damaged his machine.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Nicholson and Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Waddington of this city and Mr. and Mrs. David Hunter of Ellwood City have returned from Shelby, O., where they attended the funeral services for Mrs. Walter Waddington which took place Monday afternoon.

Six Year Old Local Girl Wins High Honor With Safety Poster

GERTRUDE KOLIBASH AND HER POSTER

Six-year-old Gertrude Kolibash of grade 1B of the Terrace avenue school wins the highest place of honor in the 1927 Safety calendar that the Carnegie Steel company is issuing.

For her safety poster which won first prize in grade 1 of the New Castle schools has been placed together with her photograph on the first page of the new safety calendar.

The 1927 calendar is the fourth that the Carnegie Steel company has put out and is composed of 12

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President Coolidge To Attend Celebration At Trenton Tonight

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—President Coolidge will leave Washington early this afternoon to pay a flying holiday visit to Trenton, N. J., and make his first public appearance in that city as chief executive.

Celebration of the 150th anniversary of the battles of Trenton and Princeton is the occasion. A notable dinner has been arranged in honor of Mr. Coolidge by the Trenton Historical Society.

Only a small party will accompany the President and Mrs. Coolidge, being composed of Secretary Everett Sanders, Col. S. A. Cheney and Captain Wilson Brown, Military and Naval aides, Major J. F. Coupal, personal physician, and the usual secret service operatives.

It is the President's plan to board his private train at Trenton tonight and make the return trip slowly so that Washington will not be reached until tomorrow morning.

It was just a hundred and fifty years ago that George Washington, leading a half-starved, ragged Continental Army, crossed the Delaware through treacherous ice floes, surprised the British command of Cornwallis and completely routed the enemy. It was of this battle that Washington said:

"The fate of an empire depends upon this night."

Three Victims Of Gun Battle

(International News Service)
HARLAN, Ky., Dec. 29.— The little hill settlement of Banner Fork, near here, today was burying its dead and settling down to normal once again.

A gun battle in which all three participants "shot it out" to the death and which literally exterminated one family there was being investigated by county authorities today.

Roy Smith and Henry Smith, his father, and Daniel Jones were the participants and victims in the shooting affray, the cause of which was not determined.

According to reports, Jones and the younger Smith opened fire first and the father, seeing his son mortally wounded came to the rescue, felled Jones with a volley of shots and then fell, fatally wounded, beside his son's body.

State Educators Are In Convention

Discuss Matters Of Interest To Development Of School System

SALARY INCREASES GIVEN CONSIDERATION

(International News Service)
HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 29.—Gathered here in annual meeting, the members of the Pennsylvania State Education Association, turned their attention today to sectional discussions and conferences. It is the second day of the convention.

In opening the convention late yesterday reports of committees were made and addresses delivered to the assembly by prominent educators. Possible legislation to come before the 1927 session of the legislature was given consideration.

Dr. Hughes Mearns, professor of education at New York University, spoke to the delegates on "the unknown child." Dr. Richard D. Allen, director of research and guidance, Providence, R. I., spoke upon "The Morale in the School," and Dr. Francis B. Haas, state superintendent of public instruction, addressed the delegation on "what is right with education in Pennsylvania."

The much debated tenure bill, which would substitute an indefinite contract for the present term-to-term contract for teachers with school districts, came up for debate. The legislative committee headed by Charles S. Davis, of Steelton, recommended annual increases of $100 each for teachers in fourth class districts and an increase from $2500 to $3500 in minimum salaries of county superintendents.

NOTICE

The New Castle News will be issued at noon on Saturday, New Year's day. All news intended for the Saturday issue, especially church notices, will have to reach The News early Friday to insure publication.

Fisher Gives Attention To Inauguration

Governor-Elect In Conference At Harrisburg On Plans For January 18

MAY CONFER TODAY ON CABINET PLACES

Governor-Elect Goes Over Phases Of Budget With Auditor's Department

(International News Service)
HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 29. — Having given most of yesterday to considering phases of the budget with Arthur P. Townsend, of the auditor general's department, governor-elect John S. Fisher turned his attention today to plans for the inaugural ceremonies here Jan. 18.

Discuss Inauguration

The inauguration plans will be discussed during the day with Senator William H. Earnest, of Harrisburg, who will be chairman of the joint legislative committee on inauguration; Auditor General Edward Martin; State Treasurer Samuel S. Lewis and A. Boyd Hamilton, Fisher's private secretary. Costs of previous inaugurations, estimates of costs for the Fisher administration and issuing of invitations will be considered.

It is expected that some definite announcement will be made following the conference as to the plans for the inauguration.

Since arriving here yesterday Fisher has given no attention to the appointment of cabinet officers. It is not known whether the governor-elect will hold conferences with county leaders today relative to the appointments.

Kansas Officers Hunt Degenerate

Mother And Babe Found Choked To Death, Three Deaths In Two Days

(International News Service)
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 29. — Acting on the theory that a degenerate had gained entrance to the home, police here today were searching for the slayer of Mrs. Germaine Troquet Harpin, 28, and her infant son, Robert, whose bodies were found in an unused room last night.

The slaying of the mother and baby makes three found choked to death in the last two days, the body of Mrs. Bonnie Pace, 26, having been found Monday also in an unfurnished room.

Both Mrs. Harpin and the infant were choked by rags knotted tightly around their necks.

Both murders have occurred at homes on the doors of which were rooms for rent signs which gave rise to the police theory that a moron protending to be in search of a room had gained entrance to both homes.

YOUTH DIES AS ACCIDENT RESULT NEAR GROVE CITY

(Special To The News)
GROVE CITY, Pa., Dec. 29.—Henry Husing aged 17 of Pardoe, Mercer county, died this morning in the hospital here as a result of a fractured skull received Tuesday afternoon about 5:30 o'clock in an automobile collision.

Husing and two companions were returning to their homes in Pardoe on the Erie-Pittsburgh road when near the George Junior Republic their car was in collision with the machine of S. B. Dunham of Harrisville. Husing was injured in the collision and removed to the local hospital. The others escaped serious injury.

DEATH RECORD

Mrs. Nancy L. Hovis, 82, 126 North Crawford avenue.

Mrs. Sarah Holiday Bruce, 87, Plaingrove township.

David Clark, 25, Slippery Rock.

Smith Connor, 70, Youngstown, Ohio.

Senate Plans To Revive Ancient Seating Custom

Will Authorize Smith's Seating On Oath Before Starting Ouster Work

ARE CONFIDENT OF UNSEATING SMITH

Resolution Calls For Final Vote On Question In Five Days

By WILLIAM K. HUTCHINSON
International News Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—A custom 100 years old will be revived in the Senate to enable administration leaders to carry out their plan of seating Senator-elect Frank L. Smith, Republican, of Illinois, for 10 days before ousting him from the chamber.

This custom is to authorize the oath of office by resolution. It

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FLOOD RELIEF SEEN IN SOUTH

Death Toll Due To Floods Is Increased To At Least Twenty

SITUATION WORSE AT NASHVILLE

(International News Service)
MEMPHIS, Tenn. Dec. 29—While the toll taken by the high waters continued to mount to a high figure, clearing skies and cooler weather brought some promise of relief to the flood-stricken areas in southern states today.

The situation was still critical in Nashville, Tenn., however, where an additional rise in the Cumberland River of nearly a foot during the night increased the number of homeless by at least 700 persons, and it may be days before they can get back to their submerged houses.

With 1,500 homes flooded, more than 4,000 are homeless in Nashville and nearly 2,500 are without employment because of the raging waters.

Reports received here today from Southwest Virginia increased death toll, more or less attributable to the high waters, to twenty. Fourteen dead were reported up to last midnight, and today came reports of six more dead.

The coal industry in Southwest Virginia is paralyzed, highways impassable and rail service crippled.

SNOW FENCES PREVENT DRIFTS

State highway department reports that the snowfall of the past few hours did not hinder traffic on the improved roads under their jurisdiction. Plows were put on in Venago county during the night and in Butler and Lawrence county this morning and by noon all the roads were cleared.

The snowfall was not heavy but the sleet that fell on Christmas night froze so solidly to the roads that autoists must drive with caution over the slippery surface.

More than twice the number of snow fences have been installed this winter so that there will be fewer drifted roads no matter how deep the snow becomes. Almost all the snow fences have been put in place and the department is prepared for the winter no matter how severe it may be.

New markers are being painted along the routes of the state roads. The markers this year consist of a blue background with a numeral in a keystone.

Marriage Licenses

Henry Delk ..... New Castle
Viola Cooper ..... New Castle
Henry Sawatski ..... Oil City
Florence Green ..... Pleasantville

Really Doesn't Tattle

Central Press Photo

"Tatler Queen" is the crown Miss Sarah Weeks wears at the William Jewel College, Liberty, Mo., but students assert she really "never tells." The Queen Tatler dominates the college's annual, "The Tatler."

"Crooked Officials Keep Booze Business Alive"

—FEDERAL ATTORNEY OLSON.

(BULLETIN)
(International News Service)
CHICAGO, Dec. 29. — "The booze business could not exist without the protection of crooked officials," Edwin A. Olson, retiring federal district attorney, declared today in a report of his four years' activities, transmitted to Attorney General Sargent.

Olson's report fairly bristled with sensational charges against local enforcement agencies whom he inferentially accused of accepting $30,000,000 annually in "graft," from booze, vice and crime interests.

Jap War Scare Will Be Probed

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The house has decided to inquire into now famous "Japanese war scare" report of 1921 which figured so prominently in the recent Fall-Doheny case, it was learned today.

Secretary of the Navy Wilbur, according to a statement issued by Rep. McClintic, (D) of Oklahoma, has agreed to appear before the house naval affairs committee "in secret session" and submit to questioning about the report.

Wilbur, however, refused to permit the committee to inspect the records, bearing on the "war scare."

Japanese Prince Visits Coolidge

(International News Service)
NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Prince Chichibu son of the late mikado of Japan and younger brother of the new ruler, left New York today for Washington where he will visit President Coolidge. He arrived yesterday from Europe.

Prisoners To Know Fate On Thursday

Judge Hildebrand will hold a session of court tomorrow morning at which prisoners who were convicted or who pleaded guilty at the recent term of criminal court will be sentenced.

POISON BOOZE TOLL NOW 27

Many Other Liquor Victims Are In Hospitals In New York

(International News Service)
NEW YORK, Dec. 29. — Deaths from Christmas booze today had mounted to twenty-seven.

Many other liquor victims are in hospitals and some are in such condition it is feared they will die. Some may emerge blind or crippled.

Dr. Alexander O. Gettler, chief toxicologist at Bellevue hospital, is quoted as saying that poisoned liquor took a toll of approximately 400 lives in New York City this year.

City leaders and dry officials clashed today on where the responsibility lies for the unusual number of liquor tragedies.

The death toll for the month of December was estimated at fifty-one by medical examiner Norris.

It is estimated that 137 persons are now in New York City hospitals suffering from the effects of bad booze.

Some Figures On Post Office Rush

Postoffice officials who kept count of machine-stamped letters, picked from mail boxes and handed in the postoffice boxes, today presented figures, minus hand-stamped letters as follows for the busiest days of the Christmas season, December 20-22, inclusive:

December 20—64,745.
December 21—97,045.
December 22—81,925.

These figures do not include hand-stamped letters, described as those too heavy to fit into the machine. No estimate of these letters were announced.

The mail sent into New Castle for delivery approximated at least 100,000, or more daily.

Mrs. Fred Martin of Oakwood avenue, who underwent an operation in a Youngstown hospital Tuesday, is improving.

Steamer Founders In Black Sea Is Report To Paris

Ship Not Believed To Be An American Vessel, Although Of Same Name

AMERICAN SHIP IS NEAR ENGLAND

May Be Ship Built At Astoria, Oregon, Although Identity Not Settled

(International News Service)
PARIS, Dec. 29.—Twenty-one lives were lost when the steamer Astoria foundered in a storm in the Black Sea off Roumania, according to a Bucharest dispatch to the Berlin Lokalanzeiger, the Paris Midi reported today.

The Midi says:

"A Bucharest dispatch to the Lokalanzeiger states that the steamer Astoria has foundered in the Black Sea in a storm. Twenty-one passengers were drowned. The only survivor was a Turk, who swam ashore and committed suicide when he learned that his wife and three children had perished."

There are two American steamers named Astoria listed in Lloyd's register. One of these is the 2,822-ton vessel owned in Boston, but which the owners state is known to be in an English port. The other is a 3,020-ton vessel which was formerly a United States Shipping Board vessel and is now believed to be in Pacific coast waters.

It seems probable that the vessel which is reported sunk off the Roumanian coast is not an American vessel.

Another Ship

CHELSEA, Mass., Dec. 29.—Reports that the steamship Astoria had gone down in the Black Sea with a loss of 21 lives reached the Richard T. Green shipyards here today.

An official of the shipyards said that it could not be the freight steamship Astoria, plying between Boston, Philadelphia and Liverpool, as that steamship was loading China clay at Fowey, England, yesterday, preparatory to sailing for Boston today.

There are several steamships named Astoria and it was not known on the waterfront here or in marine circles in Boston which Astoria had gone down.

The Astoria, owned by the shipyards here, carried a crew of 32 men, commanded by Captain Norman T. Henderson of Boston.

She was under charter by the Merrimac Chemical Company and had carried a cargo to Liverpool, sailing thence to Fowey to load the China clay cargo for ballast on the return voyage to America.

PARIS, Dec. 29.—Lloyd's register also gives the Astoria as the name of a twin screw four-masted auxiliary schooner built at Astoria, Oregon, and owned by the Viking Shipping Company.

Arthur Mometer

Just a couple of sleeps and the year is gone, and we start on another round, and I wonder when that is done, next year, what progress will then be found. Will the girls have skirts to the tip of their knees, or will they be up or down, and will we have our hotel all set, for the visitors coming to town. Will the population have taken a jump, will the new schools all be built, and will the coroner have to report, a lot of the people killed. Will the boys wear pants like a canvas bag, will the Charleston still be a dance, and what of the football team we will have, will they show us a big advance. For soon we'll be into the brand new year, lets hope that all of us thrive, that all of us make a lot more than we have, the weather is twenty-five.

Selection Of Chief Clerk For Assembly Develops Opposition

General Belief That Both Senate And House Will Re-Elect Leaders

Will Allow Clerkship Contest To Be Settled On Floor Of Senate

(International News Service)

HARRISBURG, Dec. 29. — The selection of a chief clerk of the Pennsylvania senate today loomed as a dark cloud on an otherwise clear sky for the opening of the general assembly here next Tuesday.

It was the general belief around the capital that the presiding officers of both the house and senate will be re-elected without material opposition from within the Republican party. The Democrats, representing the minority, will of course nominate their own candidates for each office.

But the outlook for the election of a chief senate clerk was altogether different. William P. Gallagher, of Wilkes-Barre, has held the position since 1918 and will again seek the office, but strong opposition to his candidacy has developed.

John E. McKirdy, of Pittsburgh, publicity director for the Republican state committee, has announced his candidacy in opposition to Gallagher. He is reported to have the support of W. L. Mellon and Joseph R. Grundy, although there has been no open endorsement by either party leader.

Governor-elect John S. Fisher has remained aloof from the controversy, letting it be known that he considers it purely a matter for the senate itself to decide.

The majority party will caucus here the night before the legislature convenes for the purpose of agreeing upon its list of candidates. In some quarters it was rumored that the caucus will keep "hands off" the clerkship contest and allow the controversy to be settled on the floor of the senate, an unusual procedure.

Sentence Negro Election Officers

(International News Service)

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 29.—Jas. Button and W. A. Brown, local negro election registrars, today were sentenced to one year each in the county prison, by Judge Frank Smith in Quarter Sessions court after they had pleaded guilty to unlawful registry of votes in the elections of 1925.

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WHERE TO GO TONIGHT

NIXON—Priscilla Dean in "The Speeding Venus", romantic, charming and amazing pictures; also Red Seal comedy, "Morning Judge", and the latest Fox News.

CAPITOL—On the stage: Margie Clifton & Partner, classic poses, dancing and balancing; Graham & Russo, comedy singing and dancing; Holden, Russo, Ties: the Shiek and his two slaves; on the screen, "Love's Blindness", with Antonio Moreno and Pauline Stark; comedy, "Hay Foot, Straw Foot"; news, orchestra and organ.

PENN—Triple attraction: on the screen, Lewis Stone and Anna Q. Nilsson on "Midnight Lovers"; on the stage, Delbridge & Gremmer in "A Trip to Dixie", harmony songs of plantation days. Extra stage attraction in person, winner of the Pittsburgh Press beauty contest, Miss Peggy Bosza, in beauty demonstration; Kinograms, comedy, orchestra and organ.

REGENT—Fred Thompson and the horse with a personality "Silver King" in "A Regular Scout," endorsed by James E. West, chief Scout executive. Comedy is "Second Hand Excuse." News, Organ and other features.

DOME—"Feet of Clay" with Rod LaRoque, Vera Reynolds and strong cast. Charles Puffy comedy "Not Guilty" and other features.

White Christmas Tree Novelty In North St. Home

Always at this time of the year, during the Christmas and New Year holidays, one's thoughts turn to Christmas trees, thinking of them as things of beauty.

New Castle has one of these trees, in the home of Mrs. Ella Hennon of 618 W. North street, which would be hard to surpass or equal when it comes to attractiveness.

It is a white tree, an ordinary tree secured from one of our local woods, and wrapped with cotton.

The ornaments on the trees are twenty years old, being used by Mrs. Hennon when she had her first white Christmas tree. At the base of the tree, concealed from sight, there are several colored lights, and in the evening, when the room is dark, these lights and the lights strung on the tree makes a wonderful sight for winter reality.

Every year hundreds of people go to see the tree, hearing of its beauty and desiring to see the thing that so many say has never been equalled in this city.

Besides the tree, Mrs. Hennon has many antiques ranging from fifty to two hundred years in age. Among these she has an old colonial spinning wheel with the comb and reel and spun and raw flax; an old bee smoker; dishes around one hundred and fifty years old; a dish and pitcher coming from Ireland that is two hundred years old; old-fashioned paper holder; knitting machine and pictures ranging from one hundred to one hundred and fifty years of age.

Receives Fruit From California

Mrs. C. C. Campbell of North Ray street, has received a large box of fruits grown in California from her brother W. A. Vandergrift who resides in Los Angeles. Aside from the fresh fruits in the box there are several varieties of candied fruits.

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Town Talk.

When the fire whistle sounded at frequent intervals Tuesday afternoon and in unintelligible combinations, there were many who thought there might be a serious fire in progress.

Inquiry developed the fact that there was no fire, but that the valve on the big whistle which is located at the steel mill had broken and the sounds were the result of attempting to repair the damage.

SENATE PLANS TO REVIVE ANCIENT SEATING CUSTOM

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prevailed for the first 100 years of the Senate's existence and then was dropped in favor of the more expeditious method of unanimous consent which has prevailed ever since.

Agree On Plan

Republican leaders agreed on this plan today after several senators, among them Couzens, Republican, of Michigan; Ashurst, Democrat, of Arizona, and Dill, Democrat, of Washington, served notice they would oppose Smith's taking his seat, even for a moment.

The proposed resolution, which will have some Democratic support as well as administration backers, will authorize the oath of office, the reference of Smith's credentials to a committee for investigation with a proviso that a report be made to the Senate within five days and a provision for a final vote on the case five days later.

"I shall object to any unanimous consent request permitting Mr. Smith to take his oath of office," said Ashurst. "I shall call up my resolution (barring Smith from the Senate) as soon as he presents his credentials. I am not going to relax my efforts to keep Mr. Smith from getting into the Senate."

Foresee Unseating

Dill declared "there will be no unanimous consent to seat Smith."

The rest of the anti-Smith forces meanwhile were confident of unseating the Illinois man as soon as a vote can be reached. Their whole fight will be based on the contention that Smith disqualified himself as a senator by accepting campaign contributions from public utilities while serving as chairman of the Illinois public service commission. This phase of his case will even overshadow the huge expenditures attributed to his primary campaign. His friends, though few in number in the Senate, will maintain that the Senate has no right to disqualify on this ground.

The fight against him will be led by Senator Norris, Republican, of Nebraska, Senator Borah, Republican, of Idaho, Senator Walsh, Democrat, of Montana, and Ashurst of Arizona.

"Mr. Smith's action in accepting these contributions is so abhorrent," said Senator Borah today, "to any conception of morality that any sensible man would condemn it at once. Certainly the Senate has the power to disqualify him for such a reprehensible act."

There was talk meanwhile of possible action on the Blease resolution to oust Senator Pepper, Republican, of Pennsylvania, from the present Senate because of his expenditures in the Pennsylvania primary. Administration leaders, however, said there was practically no chance of action on the resolution, first because of the limited time which Pepper has to serve (his term expires March 4) and second, because it would require a two-thirds vote to expel him.

Union Watch Night Meeting At First Free Methodist

The following churches will unite in a watch-night meeting at the First Free Methodist church, Arlington avenue, Friday night at 8 o'clock: The Dewey avenue, Coaltown and Arlington avenue Free Methodist societies and also the Wesleyan Methodist.

This promises to be a very interesting and inspiring service. There will be two or three sermons, testimonies, prayer and song.

Prominent Oil Pioneer Dies

(International News Service)

OIL CITY, Pa., Dec. 29.—Oil City today mourned the death of William M. N. Hays, 87, picturesque pioneer in the natural gas industry here, whose death occurred last night.

Hays, familiarly known as 'Uncle Billy," laid the first natural gas line leading into Oil City, and for years was engaged in oil and gas pipe line development work in West Virginia fields. He was a civil engineer and contractor.

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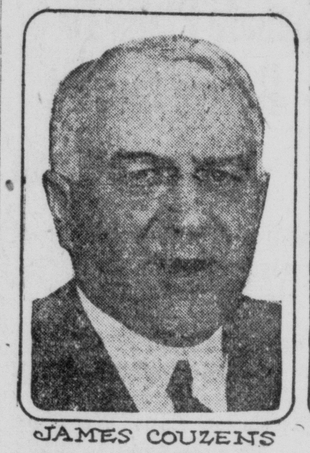

JAMES COUZENS

THOMAS S. BUTLER

General Frank T. Hines, director of the Veterans' Bureau, campaigned to induce veterans to reinstate or convert their War insurance before the time limit expires in July. Lord Lascelles, husband of Princess Mary, was to be made a peer by his father-in-law, King George. The famous income tax dispute between Senator James Couzens and the Treasury Department over $10,000,000 in income taxes was to come to a head at a hearing in Detroit January 11. Representative Thomas S. Butler, of Pennsylvania, lead the "big navy" faction in Congress.

SIX-YEAR-OLD LOCAL GIRL WINS HIGH HONOR WITH SAFETY POSTER

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pages and a cover. On each page above the calendar of the month is printed in colors a safety poster which has been chosen from over 9,000 posters presented by scholars from schools in each city or town where the company has plants. Beside the illustration of the poster is the photograph of the pupil that made the poster.

The poster of Gertrude Kolibash is the only one chosen from those of the elementary grades, the other 11 being scholars in the junior and senior high schools.

New Castle is proud to be represented by Gertrude in this contest. Miss Perry, principal of the Terrace avenue school, says that Gertrude, who celebrated her sixth birthday last January, did not enter the first grade until the beginning of the semester in February and that she handed in the poster that won such distinction in less than three months after she entered school.

Gertrude is the baby of a family of four children, Miss Perry related, and her father was for several years organist of the St. Michael's Slavic church on the corner of Moravia and Miller streets.

The contest for the making of safety posters was started some years ago in the New Castle schools which have worked with C. J. Miller of the safety department of the Carnegie Steel company. The New Castle schools have entered into the work with much enthusiasm and the Carnegie Steel comany has taken up the idea and introduced it into the schools of each city or town where the company has works. This year over 9,000 posters were turned in and prizes were given to the best in each grade of each city. This is the first year that the elementary grades have been allowed to enter.

There are some 1500 posters on exhibition at the auditorium of the carnegie Steel company on South Jefferson street. The exhibit shows posters from every grade and some of the lower grades show much originality and fine artistic work. Mr. Miller stated that the posters from the New Castle schools are of much better grade than those from other schools.

Some 70,000 of these safety calendars have been printed and 3,000 have been given the New Castle work for distribution among its employes. Each room of the New Castle schools will also be given a copy of the calendar.

The making of safety posters in the schools of New Castle is a part of the program that was stated some six years ago to instill in the minds of the children of New Castle real ideas of safety. As a result the number of accidents among school children in New Castle is less for the last few years than has been in almost any city of the same size and class. Mr. Miller states that the Carnegie Steel company is very much pleased with the work of the schools and is glad to do anything it can to help the board and art teachers in this good cause.

State Educators Elect Robb As New President

HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 29.—George D. Robb of Altoona, today was elected president of the Pennsylvania State Education Association in annual session here. He succeeds Charles E. Dickey of Pittsburgh, who automatically becomes first vice president of the association for next year.

Arrest Husband On Surety Charge

Reports Of Revolver Firing Bring Police To Home On Wood Street

Officers Samuels and Lockard about 9 o'clock last night answered a call to the home of James Roberts of Wood street, where it was said that there had been some shooting.

The officers on their arrival found Mr. Roberts in his home with his little boy and girl. He denied shooting and his small children confirmed his statements.

Mrs. Roberts, who was found at a neighbor's house across the street, claimed that her husband had a gun and she was afraid to go home. The gun in question was finally found by the officers and was in such a condition that it could not be used and was covered with rust which made its use impossible and appeared to have been the accummulation of some time. The police finally learned that the shooting had been done by the neighbor where Mrs. Roberts took refuge for the purpose of frightening Roberts.

Owing to the fact that Mrs. Roberts stated she feared to have her husband around, and also the fact that there were said to be warrants out for his arrest on charges made by Mrs. Roberts at the office of Alderman Walter T. Hamilton, Roberts was taken to the city jail and lodged there over night.

This morning, he was turned over to Detective Brinton, who took him before Alderman Hamilton, where the charges of non-support and surety of the peace made yesterday by his wife were read to him. In default of bail, he was placed in the county jail to await a hearing on the charges.

Christmas Party Interests Many At Trinity Church

Two successful Christmas gatherings were held in the Guild room of Trinity church yesterday, in the afternoon for the kindergarten and primary departments of the Church School, with every child at happy play or lisetening with wrapt attention to Christmas stories, or looking with wide open eyes at Santa Claus or enjoying the treat. All went away tired, but smiling.

In the evening the colored sterioptican slides depicting the Christmas story with the great artists, again carried their message of joy and proved their worth, for younger and older alike went home expressing their sincere appreciation.

Boy Scout News

BOYS HAVE HIKE.

A winter hike to Lakewood Beach was enjoyed on Tuesday Three patrols participated in a series of events including sledding, hiking, running, pacing, cooking and fire making. Several of the scouts passed successfully their field tests.

The trip over and back was made in the trucks of Mooney Brothers. The boys left early and the return was made in the late evening. This hike has been announced by all the scouts as the most successful they ever had.

Scoutmaster Charbonnier and all the patrol leaders were present.

Deaths Of The Day

Mrs. Pyle Buried.

Funeral services for Mrs. Eva Banks Pyle were conducted from her residence on Delaware avenue, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in charge of Rev. McClintock of the Shenango United Presbyterian church. Burial was made in Oak Park cemetery. Pallbearers were Samuel McCreary, Edward Reiber, Joseph Banks, Fred Davidson, Scott Hoffmaster and Stewart Sampson.

Alexander Rigby Funeral.

Funeral services for Alexander Rigby took place Tuesday, December 27 at 2 p. m. from his home 498 Neshannock avenue. Rev. S. L. Maxwell, pastor of Epworth M. E. church officiated. The pallbearers were Thomas Skellton, Vincent Shoaf, Charles McCune, John Yeager, Harry Dixon and Frank Biddle. Interment was made in Oak Park cemetery.

Mrs. Grafinger Buried.

Funeral services for Mrs. Elizabeth Reider Grafinger were conducted Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the home of her brother P. H. Reider of 405 East Lincoln avenue. Rev. F. D. Drake, pastor of the Pentecostal Mission was in charge assisted by Rev. S. L. Maxwell of the Epworth M. E. church. The body was sent this morning to Brownsville where interment will be made.

Mrs. Nancy L. Hovis.

Mrs. Nancy L. Hovis, aged 82 years of 126 North Crawford avenue, widow of the late Eli W. Hovis, veteran of the Civil war, died Tuesday, December 28 at 1:30 p. m.

Mrs. Hovis' death was due to the infirmities of old age. She was a member of the Epworth M. E. church. Surviving her are the following children: Mrs. William Kaler of Levittsburg, O.; William J. Huffman of Clairton, Pa.; Oliver C., Reuben H. and Archie D. Huffman of New Castle; also one brother, Reuben Irwin of Clintonville, Pa.

Short services will be held at the residence of Archie D. Huffman, 719 County Line street, Friday, December 31 at 10 a. m. The body will be taken to Clintonville, Venango county where services will take place Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Methodist church of that place. Interment will be made in the Methodist cemetery.

(Franklin papers please copy.)

Mrs. Sarah H. Bruce.

Mrs. Sarah Holiday Bruce aged 89, years, widow of Riley Bruce, died at her home in Plaingrove township Tuesday evening at 9 o'clock after an illness of infirmities of age.

Mrs. Bruce was born in Plaingrove township May 31, 1839, a daughter of Samuel and Martha Holiday Bruce and had lived in that community all her life. She was a member of the Plaingrove U. P. church.

She is survived by one son Clinton Bruce of Plaingrove and seven step-children, Mrs. Elizabeth Hettenbaugh, E. E. Bruce and Sherman Bruce of Scott township, William of Sandy Lake and Willis, Frank and Harvey all of Oklahoma and one brother Thomas Holiday of Mercer county. One daughter preceded her in death a number of years ago.

Funeral services will take place Thursday, December 30, at 2 p. m. from her late home in charge of Rev. Hugus. Burial will be made in the U. P. cemetery at Plaingrove.

William H. Lostetter.

William H. Lostetter, died at his home in Erie word to friends here states. He was a former resident of New Castle. Besides his widow Emma Buchanan Lostetter he leaves two daughters and one son.

Funeral services will take place Thursday afternoon at 2 p. m. from the Pulaski Presbyterian church. Interment will be made in Pulaski cemetery.

Mrs. Walter Waddington.

Mrs. Grace Waddington, aged 41 years, wife of Walter W. Waddington, former resident of New Castle, died at her residence in Shelby, O., on December 24 from complications according to word received here by relatives.

Mrs. Waddington was born in Shelby, June 1, 1885, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver May, who survive her. She was a member of the First Lutheran church of that place. Besides her husband and parents she leaves one brother, William May.

Funeral services took place Monday afternoon at 2:30 from the Lutheran church, in charge of Rev. Bruce Young. Burial was made in the cemetery at Shelby.

Smith Connor.

Smith Connor, aged 70, a former well known resident of this city, died this morning at his home Conti street, Youngstown, O., following an illness due to a complication of diseases.

He was a resident of this city for many years previous to removing to Youngstown and was well and favorably known here.

He was a member of the Wesleyan Methodist church of this city. He is survived by his wife and two sons, Frank of New Castle and Russell of Youngstown, O. Funeral services will be held at the Wesleyan Methodist church on Lyndal street, at a time to be announced later.

David Clark.

David Clark, aged 25 years, of Slippery Rock, died this morning at 2:25 as the result of an operation for appendicitis. He is survived by his wife. Announcement of funeral later.

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WAMPUM NOTES

Rev. C. P. Durbin Resigns Charge

Pastor Of Christian Church At Wampum To Leave—Wampum News Notes

(Special To The News)

WAMPUM, Pa., Dec. 29.—Rev. Charles P. Durbin, pastor of the Christian church, has resigned his charge. Rev. Durbin has not decided on his future work. Rev. Durbin will be missed, as he had numerous friends and had accomplished splendid work during his service here.

CONFERENCE AT M. E. CHURCH

There will be no mid-week service at Newport M. E. on Thursday night, owing to the quarterly conference to be held at the M. E. church here on that night. Dr. S. S. Neigh, district superintendent, of New Castle district, will be in charge of the service beginning at 7:30 p. m.

WATCH NIGHT SERVICE

Christian Endeavor Society will hold their regular annual watch night meeting in the Presbyterian church Friday night.

BOETHIAN CIRCLE

Thursday night Boethian Circle of the Presbyterian Sunday school will go to the home of Miss Beulah Wilson. Members who have no conveyance to go are requested to be at C. L. Repman's store between seven and eight o'clock and conveyances will be there.

WAMPUM PERSONALS

Mrs. F. P. Major is reported a little improved.

Mildred and Ruth Martin, who are confined to their home with illness, continue the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham and children of New Castle have returned home after visiting their aunt and uncle, Miss Margaret and M. J. McGrath, of Kay street.

Mrs. Loyal Yoho spent yesterday in New Castle.

Mrs. C. U. Guy was an Ellwood City visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. W. A. Brown was in New Castle Tuesday.

Mrs. S. H. Fox is confined to her home with illness.

Mrs. A. H. Brown and daughter, Mrs. Thomas Bookamer were New Castle visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. L. Bowser spent Tuesday in Ellwood City.

Mrs. J. L. Petrie is confined to her home, quite ill.

REPLEVIN WRIT FOR TWO POCKET TABLES

The Robert A. Wright company has issued a writ of replevin against Natale Bros., to secure possession of two La Crosse pocket tables, valued at $500 each. The tables it is claimed were given to Natale Bros. on a bailment lease, on which $920 was paid. It is claimed that there is $78 due on them.

Charles Chaplin's First Photoplay Drama

"A Woman of Paris" Great Star's Initial Serious Production Coming to The Dome Theatre.

This important announcement is made by the manager who at a tremendous cost procured for presentation this remarkable photoplay; the first dramatic contribution produced by the great genius of the screen—Charles Chaplin.

"A Woman of Paris" written and directed by Chaplin, marks a new departure in almost every element that goes to make up a motion picture. Almost an entire year was consumed in the making.

Edna Purviance, who has been indentified with Chaplin in almost all of his comedy productions, rises to great heights in her career as the star of "A Woman of Paris." Unthought of qualities of histrionic capabilities have been revealed under the careful direction of Mr. Chaplin. Adolph Menjou, well known screen actor plays the leading male role.

"A Woman of Paris" will be the attraction for the Midnight Show New Year's Eve. It will also be shown New Year's Day and Monday and Tuesday of Next Week. This is the first showing in New Castle of this wonderful photoplay, the most talked of of the year.

Although secured at a great cost there will be no advance in admission in keeping with the Dome's policy. Tickets for the Midnight show may be secured at the box office now.

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ANNIVERSARY DINNER ENJOYABLE AFFAIR

Honoring the fortieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Redman of New Bedford, an elaborately appointed 6 o'clock dinner was served in their home, Tuesday evening. The table was decorated with holiday tones, and the centerpiece was a large basket of flowers.

Covers were arranged for the honor guests, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Redman, Bob, Frank, Kate and Iva Redman, Mrs. Fred Kelly and family of New Castle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Redman, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Redman and son Glenn of Youngstown, O., and Mr. and Mrs. James Elder and family of Monaca.

Friends and neighbors gathered in the evening when music and games were enjoyed. The honor guests were the recipients of many beautiful gifts, including a chest of silver.

PARTY HONORS FORMER Y. W. C. A. SECRETARY

Honoring Miss Ruth Worrell of Lancaster, Penna., former secretary of the Girl Reserves of the local Y. W. C. A., the Blue Triangle club of the Y. W., entertained at a informal party in the social room of the Y. W., Tuesday evening. During the evening the hours were spent in music, games and social chat. At a seasonable hour delicious refreshments were served by the committee in charge, Miss Ruth Jamison and Miss Lillian Ekbloom.

Miss Worrell is the house guest of Dr. Mildred Rogers of North Mercer street, while in the city.

Entertain at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gowell of North Shenango street entertained a number of friends at their home Tuesday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sey of Cincinnati, house guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. Jess Dufford, of Huron avenue.

Dinner was served at six o'clock at prettily arranged tables, where covers were laid for eight. The after-dinner hours were spent socially.

Mr. and Mrs. Sey will return to their home Thursday morning.

TUREEN LUNCHEON IN LANDIS HOME

Mrs. George M. Landis, received members of the Tuesday Kensington, at a tureen luncheon Tuesday at 1 o'clock in her home on Garfield avenue. Novel Christmas appointments were used thruout. Mrs. E. U. Snyder, and Mrs. J. W. Reimold assisted the hostess in serving.

Mrs. Charles T. Metzler was a special guest. Fancy work and music were pleasures of the afternoon, and Mrs. N. L. Gardner, presented Mrs. Landis with a beautiful Cordova bag in behalf of the members.

The New Year's banquet will be an event of New Year's night at 6:30 in the home of Rev. and Mrs. George M. Landis, Garfield avenue.

Thursday's Clubs.

Von Dette kensington, Mrs. T. C. Armstrong, Croton avenue.

M. D. O. Club, Mrs. Edward Beahm, Moody avenue.

Jolly P. and O. Bunch, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Smith, Allen street.

Gowanda Club, Mrs. Edward Mayberry, Blaine street.

F. A. 1926 Bridge Club, Mrs. Earl Wimer, Park avenue.

1926 O. O. D. Club, Mrs. D. W. Ayers, Lee avenue.

Highland Book Club, Mrs. W. A. Stritmater, Lincoln avenue.

Alcanza Club, Mrs. Jess Shoaff, Marshall avenue.

A Musia Club, Mrs. James Patterson, Richelieu avenue.

Key Ring Club, Mrs. Carl Horchler, Adams street.

Iona Kensington, Mrs. Arthur Smith, Fairmont avenue.

T. A. C. Club, Mrs. William Fulmer, Superior street.

D. T. Club Mrs. Bertha McPeck, English avenue.

West Side Club, Mrs. Arthur McLaughlin, K. of C. Home.

Jolly 12 Club, Mrs. Dave Andrews, Round street.

C. and G. Club, Mrs. John Eldridge, Beckford street.

B. A. W. Club, Mrs. William Glitch, South Walnut street.

Universal Sales Club, Mrs. James H. Kerr, DuShane street.

Von Dette Kensington

Von Dette Kensington members will be guests of Mrs. T. C. Armstrong, Croton avenue, Thursday evening.

FAREWELL PARTY FOR BIBLE CLASS MEMBER

Honoring Mrs. C. C. Browne, Moody avenue, who left today to reside in Cochranton, Pa., Mrs. J. P. Merrilees, Young street, entertained members of the Baldwin Bible class of the Highland U. P. church Tuesday evening. Games and contests were enjoyed and the guest of honor was presented with a lovely gift.

Special guests were Mrs. Paul Sheiver of Butler, Miss Gibson and Miss Stuble of Clarksville, Mrs. Graham and Miss Vaughn of this city.

Delicious refreshmets were served and the hostess was assisted by the following committee: Mrs. Rumbaugh, Mrs. Boughter and Mrs. Wilson.

Agenda Club.

The Agenda club held their annual banquet last night at the New Castle Field club, covers were laid for 27. The table was beautifully decorated with flowers.

Gus Slovonsky, as toastmaster, was master of ceremonies. Addresses were given by Marcus F. Feuchtwanger, Attorney Mark L. Rabinovitz, Alec Samuels and Ralph Markley.

Beautiful souvenirs wer given to the lady friends as favors. Entertainment and music was furnished by Chuck Henrys Kestonians.

The officers of the Agenda club are President, Jack Wachs; vice president, Alec Samuels and secretary and treasurer, Paul Braunstein.

Those present were Rheba Frank, Ina Simon, Dorothy Blau, Jeanette Rabinovitz, Dorothy Fisher, Nettie Kline, Ester Marlin, Gertrude Levine of this city, Tillien Brown, Lilian Matlas and Marian Schwartz of Youngstown and Eppie Silverman of Butler, and Messrs. Paul Braunstein, William Brody, William Friedman, Harold Gerson, Nathan Ginsburg, Ralph Markley, Irvin Robins, Archie Rosenberg, Alec Samuels, Gus Slovonsky, Jack Wachs and the honor guest, Marcus F. Feuchtwanger and Attorney and Mrs. Mark L. Rabinovitz, Max. E. Samuels.

Honor Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Ehrlich of Laurel boulevard entertained a number of relatives and friends at their home on Sunday evening in honor of their tenth wedding anniversary. Dinner was served at 6 o'clock at attractively arranged tables with covers laid for 29. Later in the evening about 100 friends called and extended congratulations.

Guests from out of town included Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wertheimer of Cleveland, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pohl of McKeesport, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Lion of East Orange, N. J., Mr. and Mrs. Edward Vohn, Mitchell Brown, Miss Hanna and Dora Brown of Youngstown, Herman Hannach, Jennie and Faye Stein and Harvey Stein of Pittsburgh, I. N. Straus, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Straus of Erie, Mrs. D. Marcus, George and Sol Marcus and Dr. Harry Goldberg of Buffalo, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Keller of Ellwood City.

Christmas Party

Colors suggestive of the Christmas season made an effective decoration for the Christmas party given in the home of Mrs. Elsie Nowalk of Beckford street, Monday evening by the members of the Gleaners class of the First Baptist Bible school.

There were thirty guests present including Mrs. Edith Vogan and Mrs. A. O. Shiflett who were special visitors. Informal amusements and the exchange of Christmas gifts were features of the evening. Lunch was served later.

CHRISTMAS PARTY FOR B. D. T. CLUB

Miss Ruth Walker, West Clayton street, was hostess at a most delightful Christmas party Tuesday evening for members of the B. D. T. Club. Games and music were features of entertainment and Christmas gifts were exchanged.

Special guests were Miss Margaret You of Pittsburgh, Miss Pearl Scheidemantle, Howard Richards, Frank Kennedy and John Cunningham.

Christmas tones were used in decoration and carried out in the dainty refreshments. The hostess was assisted by her mother and Miss Jessie Calvert in serving.

In two weeks Miss Lillian Edmunds, Blaine street, will entertain.

SURPRISE SHOWER FOR RECENT BRIDE

Mrs. Joseph Harvey and Miss Florence Davis were joint hostesses at a surprise miscellaneous shower in their home on Sheridan avenue, Tuesday evening, honoring Mrs. Charles Smith, whose marriage was a recent event. The guests were members of the Bridge Club.

Holiday suggestions were effectively used in decoration throughout the home. The hours were delightfully spent with bridge and radio music, and later the guest of honor was the recipient of many lovely gifts.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED AT LUNCHEON-BRIDGE

At a prettily appointed 1 o'clock luncheon today in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Smith, Highland avenue, the engagement of their daughter Alice Agnew, to Jonathan Higgins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Judiah Higgins, of Flemington, New Jersey, was announced. Appointments were carried out in yellow and white, with yellow roses as a centerpiece. Covers were arranged for twelve guests.

The after luncheon hours were spent with bridge as the chief pleasure.

West Side Needlecraft

Mrs. H. L. Stewart, and Mrs. A. E. Tullis, entertained the West Side Needlecraft members in the former's home, Croton avenue, on Tuesday evening. Music and games were pastimes, and Christmas gifts were exchanged during the evening.

Later the guests were served dainty refreshments in the dining room, where attractive decorations were used. Mrs. Joseph Parker, assisted the hostesses in serving.

Mrs. T. M. Shumway, Neshannock avenue will entertain in two weeks.

Jolly Good Timers.

The Jolly Good Timers were guests of Mrs. James Edgington of Walnut street Tuesday evening. Games were enjoyed and prizes awarded Mrs. E. L. Culbertson and Mrs. Leslie Harris.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Ft F. Harris.

January 3 Mrs. Harry L. James of Highland avenue will entertain.

1914 Book Club.

Members of the 1914 Book club with the husbands as special guests will be entertained at dinner in the home of Dr. and Mrs. John Foster, North Mercer street, New Year's at 5 o'clock.

The committee includes Mrs. John Foster, Mrs. H. E. Golder, Mrs. C. R. Reed, Mrs. C. T. Trainor, Mrs. Harry Urmson and Mrs. J. Russell Urmson.

B. B. Club

Ten members of the B. B. Club met at the home of Mrs. Fred Frankfather, Superior street, Tuesday evening. Fancy work and chat were the chief pastimes, and later dainty refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. W. H. Tanney.

The next meeting in two weeks will be with Mrs. J. P. Dickson, Lathrop street.

Sisterhood Meeting.

Members of the Beth Shalom Sisterhood will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Louis Sandler of North Mercer street.

CLUB MEMBERS ARE GUESTS AT LUNCHEON

Attractive holiday suggestions were used in decoration Tuesday when Mrs. James Spear, Pine street entertained members of the T. L. T. Kensington at a 1 o'clock luncheon. Covers were laid for 16 guests and a miniature tree formed the centerpiece. The hostess was assisted in serving by Mrs. J. W. Patterson, and Mrs. Charles Nicholson.

After luncheon hours were spent socially, with fancy work, and Christmas gifts were exchanged. Special guests were Mrs. W. J. Spear, Mrs. Harvey Robinson, and Mrs. Clayton Bryan.

Announcement of the next meeting will be made later.

AFTERNOON "TEA" ATTRACTIVE EVENT

Honoring Miss Eleanor Treadwell of Ann Arbor, Mich., Mrs. Harrington McAfee entertained at an informal "Tea" this afternoon at the home of her mother Mrs. Howard Kirk of Moody avenue.

The hostess had as aides Mrs. James T. Ray and Miss Cora Ritchie. Cut flowers were arranged in decoration.

Willing Workers

Willing Workers Class of the First Congregational church will have their regular meeting and Christmas party Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Carl Lewis of Arlington avenue.

D. O. H. Club

The meeting of the D. O. H. Club scheduled for this evening at the home of Mrs. Arthur Sisley, Pine street, has been postponed for two weeks.

Flotilla Club.

The meeting of the Flotilla club scheduled to meet with Mrs. W. T. Dukes of Park avenue Thursday evening has been postponed for one week.

Mutato Club

The meeting of the Mutato Club, scheduled for Friday at the home of Mrs. Robert Lowery, Highland avenue has been postponed until January 7.

Personal Mention

Dale Williams, of Grove City, has concluded a visit with George and Thomas Jenkins, East Long avenue.

Mrs. C. L. Young, of Irwin, Pa., spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dumer of the New Castle road

Mr. and Mrs. Orie Thompson, Mrs. Cora Clinefelter and daughter, Esther, of Leesburg, spent Tuesday in New Castle.

Rev. and Mrs. Montgomery Boyd of Huntington, Pa., are guests of the former's father, James Boyd, of Waldo street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Flynn, East Washington street, announce the birth of a daughter, December 29, who has been named Anna.

Major and Mrs. D. W. Shaffer of Cooperstown, N. Y., are the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Shaffer, of Pearson street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Uber of Warren, O., have returned home after spending Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Kemp of Finch street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lash and daughter Ethel, of Uniontown, Pa., have returned to their home after spending Christmas with their sister, Mrs. James Wilson, Reynolds street.

Mrs. Minnie McKibben, policewoman of the city police force is confined to her home with a severe attack of grip. It was feared for a time that she might develop pneumonia.

Misses Jessie and Elizabeth Ray of Wallace avenue and Dorothy Seavy of Highland avenue attended a luncheon at the Youngstown City club given today by Miss Mary Alice King.

Amzi Shaffer of Chicago and Dr. N. A. White and Miss Mary White of Franklin have returned home after spending the Christmas season at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Shaffer of Pearson street.

George J. Kennelly of Los Angeles, Cal., after a business trip to Florida, arrived in this city and spent the holiday season with his mother, Mrs. George Kennelly of Pine street, before returning to his home in California.

Await Valuations To Set Millage

County commissioners have not yet initmated that the tax levy is likely to be for the year 1927. They are awaiting the returns of the various assessors in order that they may know the valuations of county property subject to taxation. The millage is not likely to be fixed until some time during the first three months of the year.

In Religious and Fraternal Circles

Berean Bible Class

Members of the Berean Bible Class will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. A. G. Fieg, Bellevue avenue. Mrs. J. M. Nelson, leader, Mrs. Frank Rudesill, teacher.

P. H. C. Notice

Members of New Castle Circle No. 5, P. H. C. will have their annual Christmas treat for their children, in the lodge rooms, Thursday evening. A fine program has been arranged for this time.

A business meeting will take place promptly at 7 o'clock.

Children's Meeting

Children's meeting will be held in the Hoover Heights Gospel Tabernacle on Friday afternoon at 3:45.

Delay Fight To Free Stephenson

(International News Service)

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., Dec. 29.—The fight to free D. C. Stephenson, former Indiana Klan dragon where he is serving a life sentence and political power from prison for slaying Madge Oberholtzer was suddenly adjourned until tomorrow just as it got under way today.

Counsel for Stephenson filed an amended habeas corpus petition and Attorney General Arthur L. Gilliom, after consulting with his battery of assistants, asked for time to prepare a new answer.

Year End Treat For Penn Theatre Patrons

Penn Offers On Thursday and Friday Four of Pittsburgh's Premier Children Dancers.

A special treat has been arranged for the patrons of the Penn Theatre for Thursday and Friday as a year end entertainment of a high order. Four of Pittsburgh's premier dancing children will be present with their parent's consent and will give exhibitions of fancy dancing. The children will appear three times daily, once each afternoon and twice each evening. The dancers have been secured through Miss Anna C. Cooper who recently came to New Castle and is conducting a school here. They are little Misses Evelyn and Althea Lieb, Betty Greenwood and Baby Doris Kagrise. This quartet is said to be the last word in the art of artistic dance movements.

The picture for Thursday and Friday is "The Popular Sin" with Florence Vidor and a strong and versatile cast. "The Popular Sin" is based upon the present day inclination for one man to have two women or one wife to have a friend besides her husband and the complications make one of the most fascinating films ever screened.

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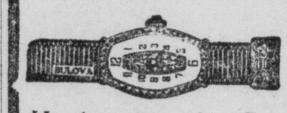

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STEADY GROWTH OF NEW CASTLE SHOWN

ANNOUNCEMENT by the Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday of the census estimate for the city of New Castle, at the beginning of the year 1927, prepared after an accurate survey of the city, giving the population as 54,824, indicates continued, steady growth of New Castle.

In 1920, when the census was taken by the government, New Castle's population was announced as 44,938. The increase for the city since that time shows a growth of 22 per cent, the estimate develops.

Taken with the immediate contingent territory, on the west, on the north, on the east, with Oakland, South New Castle, etc., there is no doubt but that the population of what is actually the New Castle of today, is about 60,000.

With the development of the good roads system and the greater use of the auto, the increase in auto bus lines running into New Castle, since the 1920 census, the city expands into one of even more than 60,000 to all practical purposes.

However, New Castle is not a boom town. New Castle is a steady growing and developing city that insures permanency, and continued expansion in the future.

With the dawn of a new year, conditions are most auspicious for the maintenance of the progress of the past, and even for an impetus to that growth and development.

With the proper amount of co-operation on the part of all who are residents, and enjoying the benefits and advantages, the future is affording wonderful opportunities for this city and its environs.

A SILLY QUESTION

A QUESTION raised by a Western paper is, "Would there be fewer divorces if women proposed instead of men?" The answers so far given afford no clue to the truth. This is not surprising. For one thing, nobody knows in how many cases now the girl does the actual selecting though the man makes the formal proposal. "If we knew how leap year marriages turn out, we might find the correct answer," one man said to the inquirer, but he seems to assume that the proposing in leap year is done invariably by the woman. Is there reason for this?

In any case, the inference from the question seems to be that woman is as helpless in marriage business as she aforetime was supposed to be in commerce. Is there substantial basis for such opinion? Does any one suppose that most women accept the first man who proposes to them? Would every man accept any woman that proposed to him? If the answer to the "soft question" inevitably is "yes" then it might make a difference if women instead of men did the proposing. But it is not. Of that there can be no questioning. It follows, then, that the women now have an equal voice with the men in the matchmaking. Perhaps the girl has "set her cap" for the man. Does she propose the less because he "pops the question" obedient to her promptings, though the latter be concealed by arts and wiles of which only a lovesick maiden is mistress?

If one is concerned about the causes of divorce he must study the married lives of divorcees. Incompatibility of one sort or another crops up after marriage, not before, usually. Which one does the courting and proposing is a matter of no importance. If one or the other is duped, the duping would be just as complete whichever exercised the privilege of asking the other to wed.

Time flies: Only 20 years ago two-thirds of the population was wondering hom to pronounce Garage.

Some men are born meek, some acquire meekness and others marry the kind of a girl who shoots 36 holes of golf after lunch.

It is hard to believe that $78,000,000 worth of corsets were purchased in the United States last year, but that generally is where you find corsets—associated with large figures.

Just Folks

By EDGAR A. GUEST

FAREWELL FOR AN AFTER-DINNER SPEAKER.

Here he lies, now calm and still!
Gone to claim eternal glory!
Never more on earth he will
Shake the tables with a story.

This is sleep men cannot break,
He has gone where no mail reaches,
Him the telephone can't wake,
He is done with making speeches.

Shed no tear! Display no grief!
Rather let your pulses quicken,
He is done with larded beef!
Done with guinea hen and chicken!

Here he lies, his peace secure,
All the noise of earth is quitted,
Where he's gone to, I am sure
No toastmaster is admitted.

Never more we'll hear the jest
As so cleverly he turned it.
Now this weary man has rest,
And the good Lord knows he earned it.

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A free country is one in which people cuss something vague and don't want to assassinate anybody in particular.

If knighthood were yet in flower, certain young men would check their shoes before dancing.

Bible Thought For Today

THE BEST TEACHING—"These words which I command thee shall be in thine heart. And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children and thou shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down and when thou risest up." Deut. 6:6, 7.

PRAYER—

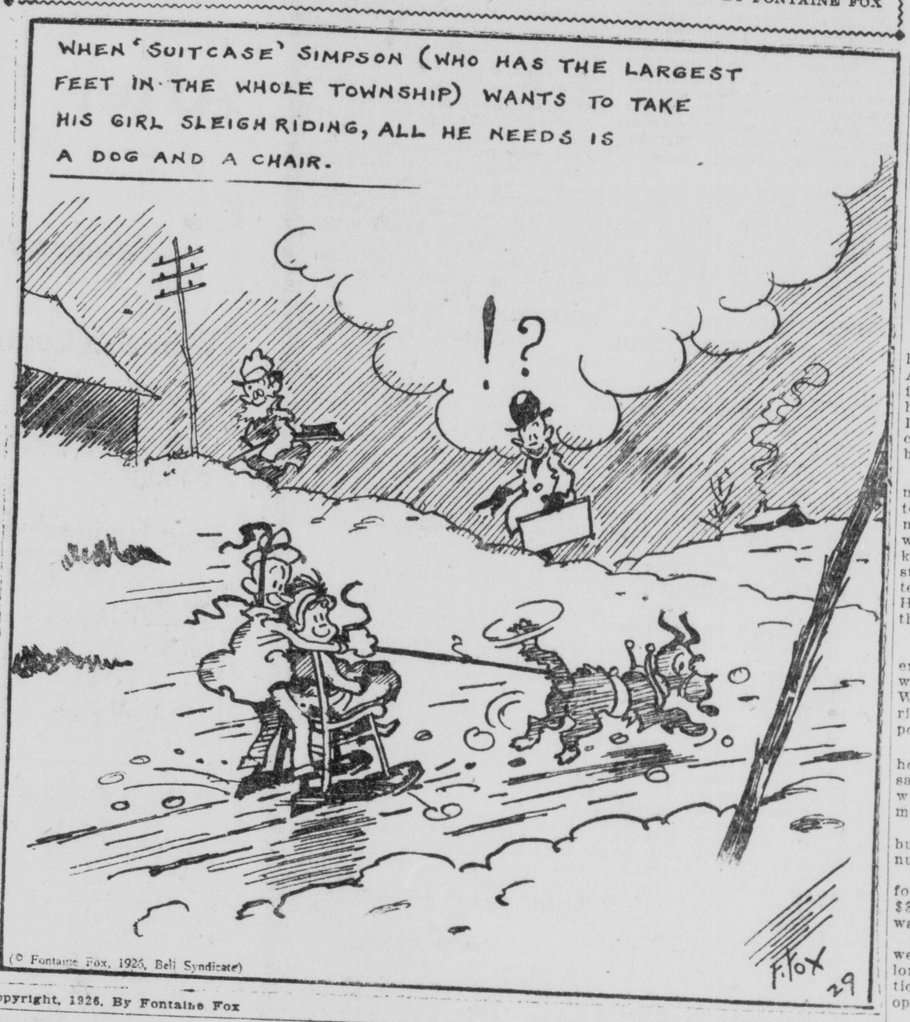
"Teach me, my God and King,
In all things Thee to see;
And what I do in anything,
To do it as for Thee."

Safety Sam Says:

Speakin' once more o' givin', folks are happiest an' live longest who give lots o' thought t' safety.

"Suitcase" Simpson.

BY FONTAINE FOX



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Hints and Dints

Sun sets tonight 4:40. Sun rises tomorrow 7:24.

We heard a bird say yesterday that Santy Claus was a bum. We think he did not get the quart he expected.

Two holidays one coming right after the other is more than some people can stand and they have to take a day or two to recuperate after two days of rest from work.

An old-fashioned man will always worry about a supender button giving way, but a new fashioned gazabo holds his trousers with an unreliable oldbelt and never seems to give a whop what happens.

Many a New Castle woman thinks other women's husbands must be perfect, merely because she is convinced that her husband has all the faults there are.

An anti-Christmas gift league is being formed in France with a large membership. No league of that kind can be successful if there is not a clause in it also refusing to accept gifts.

There really is not much use in making any New Year resolutions, but a firm desire to treat the other fellow as we would like to be treated will make the world about 100 per cent better than it ever was. Why not try it for one year?

It is true love if it endures after hearing her describe 82,942 different things as "perfectly precious."

Snow fell in quite a few tropical and semi-tropical climates much to the dismay of the inhabitants of those places during the past few days. Those people expected to see some hotter stuff instead of snow and it was quite a shock to them.

Alcoholism killed 130 persons in Pittsburgh during the past year and automobiles killed 149 persons in the past eleven months. The automobiles have it on old red eye, but maybe it's because autos are easier to get— they can be bought on credit, but the bootlegger demands cash.

Five men were in swimming for an hour in the East river in New York on Christmas day. There are nuts and then come the absolutely hopeless crazy bozos.

There is much talk of a third base league of a national character in this country. It seems to us the two big leagues we have now con furnish enough croockedness and ornryness for all concerned.

We often wonder why more people are not killed by automobiles after we see the careless way some cross streets. Within the past year three persons we have wondered that about have been killed. Having the right of way is all right, but there are many who had the right of way who are in their graves and the fool drivers who ran them down are still living. The time is here when no auto driver can be trusted at a street crossing, so it's look out or get the fatal bump.

Being shocked by electricity is not so good, but most men around these diggins seem to enjoy being shocked by the cute little flapper.

During our more than half a century of living in New Castle we have been entertained at enough homes to convince us that there are just two classes of folks in this town—those who have antique furniture and want to sell it and get something more modern, and those who have modern furniture and want to exchange it for the antique.

Some people find it convenient to hock their Christmas gifts and get money with which to buy themselves something they like better.

Our guess is that no New Castle super stout desires to get as thin as her husband's hair.

The dead engineer of a wrecked train seems to be the logical person to blame it on. And that is just exactly what is always done.

Ownership of an automobile brings out either all the selfishness or all the kindness there is in a man's character. And, judging from the way a great many motorists like to hog the road, cut corners, run down pedestrains at street intersections and quite generally make a nuisance of themeselves, the selfishness far outweighs the kindliness.

Abe Martin says a woman is as old as she looks when she first gets up in the morning. We do not know of ever hearing a meaner thing than that.

There was something in favor of the old-fashioned saloon. After you bought a drink a bystander did not have to send for the coroner.

Horn rimmed glasses are worn by Harold Lloyd to make people giggle and most all others who wear them also make people giggle.

Recent statistics announce that the upkeep of sacred cows cost India two million dollars a year. We of America have no sacred cows to feed, but we have a lot of other fool customs and habits that cost us fully as mpch and have about as much real benefit.

The world is full of nuisances and the worst of them is worry.

To The Kicker

There ain't no use in kickin' friend,
When things don't come your way;
It does no good to holler 'round,
And grumble night and day.
The thing to do is curb your grief,
Cut out your little whine;
And when they ask you how you are
Just say, "I'm fellin' fine."
Your heart may just be burstin'
With some real or fancied woe,
But when you smile, the other folks
Ain't really apt to know.
The old world laughs at heartaches, friend,
Be they your own or mine;
So when they ask you how you are,
Just say, "I'm feelin' fine."

Visitor—"What are the most striking things about this town?"
Native—"I guess I might mention the clocks and automobiles."

Indefinite

"Is this the hosiery department?" said the voice over the phone.

"Yes," replied the weary saleslady.

"Have you any flesh-colored stockings in stock?" asked the voice.

"Yes," replied the weary saleslady. "What-dy-ya want—pink, yellow or black."

A New York Life Insurance man told an audience that two vacations a year were not too much, and would prolong life. Two vacations might prolong life, but they certainly would have a disastrous effect upon life insurance premiums.

You can tell an American's caste by the laws he breaks.

The old fashioned roller towel passed out a little too soon. If it had stuck around until automotive age came in somebody might have motorized it.

The London idea of attiring waiters in red jackets is a good one and should save many a diner the embarrassment of tipping some prominent citizens by mistake.

There are a lot of married men who wish they could overthrow a dictator as easily as some of these European nations do.

The cost of domestic spats is going up. Peeved wife used to go home to mother. Now she goes to a fashionable hotel and has the bill sent to hubby.

Maybe the London physician who gave Queen Marie a recipe for keeping children from crying only suggested a bat on the ear.

Two of Europe's liquor kings are visiting in this country. Perhaps they are studying the American methods of merchandising.

Will Rogers has fallen off a horse in California, so he is qualified by experience to join the Prince of Wales' select equistrian club.

Just as Christmas vanishes for the year and the happy season goes by the income tax collectors get busy with their bills.

A sack of mail sent to the doughboys in France in 1915 has just been found. Now the men in this country will have to pay to get that mail back. The postal receipts ought to show a net profit this year.

At the new Breakers hotel in Palm Beach, Florida, which will be completed soon, there are rooms that cost as much as $55 for a single day's use. Florida evidently thinks like France—that all the money in the world is in the Eastern states.

As Mayor of Beverly, California, Will Rogers at his inaugural, declared he wouldn't promise good government, but would give them 50-50 government. Well a city government that is 50 per cent good is something to boast about. We are anxious to see how the experiment turns out.

There is a demand now in Philadelphia that the Sesqui buildings be torn down immediately. Must be those who live there don't want to be constantly reminded of the big mistake they made and the deficit they have to make up.

ego. Smoking in the smoker; being irritated because so many others are smoking and making the air too thick.

Women's legs are no longer news but there is still sold a great many tickets to Niagara Falls.

Probably the decision of the Supreme Court, limiting medicinal liquor to one pint in 10 days, prevented a great epidemic in the land.

Our idea of the best get-rich-quick scheme would be to own a gun store in Herrin, Illinois.

A man out west has invented a camera that will magnify 15,500 times. We would like to have that picture making machine take a shot at our bank account after Christmas.

What the Democrats need is a man who has something more appealing to offer than a desire for the nomination.

Mr. Rockefeller's doctor is dead, which indicates merely that you should let your doctor do the worrying.

Today

Picking the Wrong Horse.
They Fooled Us? Certainly We Need People.
When Men Die.

By ARTHUR BRISBANE
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In Nicaragua Uncle Sam seems to have bet on the wrong horse. Rear Admiral Latimer commanding forces in Nicaragua, where they have no business, reports that the Diaz government, backed by this country, has been soundly thrashed by the so-called rebels.

Senator Borah, head of the committee on foreign affairs, proposes to find out why the United States meddles down there. Perhaps he will let the people know what he knows, and especially who pulls the string that sends this country interfering in neighboring republics. Haven't we enough to attend to in the United States?

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Much excitement over the discovery that this foolish government was bamboozled at the famous Washington conference and is inferior to England, and Japan, in sea power.

Congressman Butler, head of the house committee on naval affairs, says we must build a new navy that will cost more than four hundred million dollars.

Japan and England have been building powerful cruisers, in great numbers.

"Uncle Sam," says Butler, "was fooled into scrapping more than $300,000,000 worth of the finest warships ever designed."

Of course we were fooled, and we shall continue to be fooled as long as we trust our affairs to politicians while the nations of Europe employ statesmen.

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Fortunately battleships and cruisers make little difference to a nation, like ours, that has no commercial fleet worth talking about, and therefore no need of battleship convoys.

What we need is flying machines to destroy enemy shipping, and that is what we haven't got.

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Men that ought to know see continued prosperity for 1927.

Judge Gary, who recently handed his stockholders a $225,000,000 melon, is cheerful.

So is Henry Ford. He ought to be. If he stopped making cars entirely he would have an income of many millions a year from the manufacture of parts for years to come.

Ford says there has been overproduction in 1926, and worries about the credit situation.

He evidently thinks competitors have pushed credits beyond the limits of safety.

What we need is people, about twenty millions of the energetic, ambitious, best people of Europe, eager to come here.

The twenty million would absorb in twenty weeks the really good used cars and then begin buying new ones.

They would teach some Americans, who have forgotten it, the disagreeable, useful art of hard work. They would eat potatoes, wheat and other things that the farmers now produce in excess, and solve our problems.

Gentlemen of the farms, you need immigration, as a department store needs customers.

And when your congressmen vote to shut out immigration they shut out those that would consume your products here at home.

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When men think about dying, their minds work in different ways. Some plan fine monuments to cover their corpses.

Some plan to bribe divine justice at the last moment seeking to spend money in a way that will keep them out of Hell.

Some think of others, of education, which is the only life of this earth and leave their money to spread knowledge.

Others just fade out, thinking not at all.

One man, dead the other day, devoted a long paragraph of his will to his razor, one he had used for half a century.

Another, recently left his stock in a race track gambling enterprise and his stock in an alcoholic distillery to clergymen that detested gambling and drink. The human mind, living or dying, is a strange contrivance.

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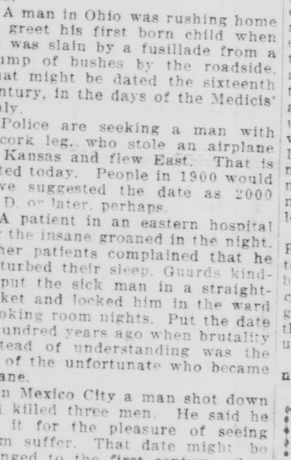
Governor Jackson announces plans for a monument and shrine to be erected at Lincoln City, Ind., in memory of Nancy Hanks, Lincoln's mother. It was about time for somebody to realize that a woman creating a great son is as worthy of honor as the man that paints a great picture or builds a great railroad system, and that everything a woman's son does is really done by her.

In Day's News

Prince Hirchito who ascends the throne of Japan with the passing of his father, the Emperor Yoshihito is 25 years old and for several years has governed as Prince Regent during the illness of the Emperor. Since 1919 when he became of age he has occupied a seat in the House of Peers of the Imperial Diet. Five years ago with the consent of his father he broke an ancient Japanese tradition by being the first crown prince of Japan to make a trip abroad. He visited the principal countries of Europe and impressed those he met as a young man of observing disposition, a retentive memory and a keen desire for knowledge. In 1924 about two years after his return from abroad he was married in Tokio to Princess Nagako a descendant of a former emperor of Japan. As ruler of Japan the Crown Prince Regent gives promise of carrying on the era of enlightenment by which the reign of his grandfather Emperor Musuhito was known.

ABE MARTIN



If holidays balled up th' movie theaters, or tied up traffic, something would be done about it, but they kin interfere with murder trials an' nothin's ever said. Our reformers had better loy off o' booze fer awhile an' give ther attention t' musical revues.

Dr. Crane's Editorial

DATING THE NEWS

Only part of the news is about today; the rest speaks of the past, that has carried over, and the future, that is approaching.

Some events belong in a different age.

As you run over the day's news, you find many items that might as well carry another date line than one for the year 1926.

A woman dies after a heavy meal eaten while wearing a tightly laced corset. Date that in the late nineties of last century.

Indians in the Elko district in the West have chosen an old brave as their new medicine man. His qualification was that he distanced all competitors in a sun-dance. That might just as well bear the date line of a hundred and fifty years ago.

A man in Ohio was rushing home to greet his first born child when he was slain by a fusillade from a clump of bushes by the roadside. That might be dated the sixteenth century, in the days of the Medicis' Italy.

Police are seeking a man with a cork leg, who stole an airplane in Kansas and flew East. That is dated today. People in 1900 would have suggested the date as 2000 A. D. or later, perhaps.

A patient in an eastern hospital for the insane groaned in the night. Other patients complained that he disturbed their sleep. Guards kindly put the sick man in a straightjacket and locked him in the ward smoking room nights. Put the date a hundred years ago when brutality instead of understanding was the lot of the unfortunate who became insane.

In Mexico City a man shot down and killed three men. He said he did it for the pleasure of seeing them suffer. That date might be changed to the first century when a Roman emperor was enjoying the spectacle of men coated with tar burning to light his garden.

A young man, just engaged, answers a reporter's question:

"Pretty? Well, you can bet your life that I think she's pretty, and nobody else's opinion matters."

Date that any time since the Eden day Adam slipped the leafy ring on Eve's finger to the present, and from the present on to the day the world shuts up shop.

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The World AND THE Mud Puddles

A GOOD DAY'S WORK—PERHAPS.

The appointment by the Governor of Illinois of Frank L. Smith to fill the unexpired term of the late Senator McKinley may be a blessing in disguise. All of the Malcontents in the Senate are frothing at the mouth. They can not think of anything else just now but the campaign against the seating of Smith, unless it be the campaign to refuse admission to the Senate of Senator Elect Vare of Pennsylvania. The Vare question, however will not come up until the next session of Congress, but the Governor of Illinois has by his act made the seating of Senator Appointed as well as Elect Smith a very present question. The Senate thought it would not have to take up that question until next Fall. The followers of Jim Reed from Missouri, and his committee of Investigating Senators have so much to think about just now that it is possible they will not have time to hatch up any mischievous new laws. It would naturally be too bad if they don't find time to pass the Appropriation Bills and thereby cause some financial trouble to the employees of Uncle Sam, but if their attention can be diverted from "Rocking the Boat," the Nation ought to be well satisfied with the action of the Governor of Illinois.

It is fine to think that it "aint gonna rain no more," but it is mighty hard to keep that thought in mind when Congress is in session. Back in 1921 it looked like the Nation was having a Hard Winter. As a matter of fact, it was, but the Glorious Spring and Summer followed that "Winter of Discontent," and more springs and summers of the same kind to say nothing of gorgeous autumns and splendid winters until American Business feels that Prosperity ought never to be interrupted. It is true that no one should be pessimistic. Everybody ought to be optimistic. If the public thinks and talks pessimism, things will become bad, but it is always well to avoid doing the things that spell disaster. Business cycles are no new theory. Joseph in Egypt was the first business man to realize there was such a thing. His observations led him to believe that seven lean years always followed seven fat ones, and he made his preparations accordingly. But why, with a constantly increasing population should there be lean years; with everybody at work, mentally and physically, the wants of the people will always absorb the things made for their use. If this was not true, the world would still be living in the Dark Ages. Civilization, if it means anything, means the constant making of better things for better men, and why should there be any let up in this operation.

The surest way to "Rock the Boat" of Prosperity is for Congress to throw monkey wrenches in the business machinery, make new laws, create new Commissions, investigate their neighbors instead of themselves, and really muss things up.

Yes, I think the Illinois Governor did the Nation a good turn.

One Year Ago

Floods caused heavy loss of life and property in Western Europe.

AMERICANISM: Muttering at the other fool driver so those in the back seat won't think it your fault.

Perhaps the first man to say there is honor among thieves was a cop who got his fair share.

What this country needs, along with a good five-cent cigar, is a five-cent appetite.

POEMS HOVE

BY CHARLES HANSON TOWNE

"Silence" by Edgar Lee Masters.

I have deep enthusiasm for "The Spoon River Anthology" and it has been mentioned by several writers of distinction as one of the ten great books of this country written in any language. Some critics contend that Masters wrote himself out in that single volume—it would make little difference to me if he had; for to give to the world one enduring book is not the privilege of every man. But I feel certain that this Chicago poet has achieved other really great things. His "Domesday Book" is a work of genius and in a poem like "Silence" surely he proves that he has a message and utters it with poetic fire. Space forbids the printing of the entire set of verses, but enough is here given to get a sense of the poem's magnificence.

I have known the silence of the stars and the sea,
And the silence of the city when it pauses,
And the silence of a man and a maid,
And the silence for which music alone finds the word,
And the silence of the woods before the winds of spring begin,
And the silence of the sick
When their eyes roam about the room,
And I ask: For the depths,
Of what use is language?
A beast of the fields moans a few times
When death takes its young.
And we are voiceless in the presence of realities—
We cannot speak.

A curious boy asks an old soldier
Sitting in front of the grocery store,
"How did you lose your leg?"
And the old soldier is struck with silence,
Or his mind flies away
Because he cannot concentrate it on Gettysburg.
It comes back jocosely
And he says "A bear bit it off"
And the boy wonders, while the old soldier
Dumbly, feebly lives over,
The flashes of guns, the thunder of cannon,
The shrieks of the slain,
And himself lying on the ground
And the hospital surgeons, the knives,
And the long days in bed,
But if he could describe it all
He would be an artist,
But if he were an artist there would be deeper wounds
Which he could not describe.

There is the silence of a great hatred,
And the silence of a great love,
And the silence of a deep peace of mind,
And the [illegible] of an embittered friendship,
There [illegible]ence of a spiritual crisis,
Through which your soul, exquisitely tortured,
Comes with visions not to be uttered
Into a realm of higher life.
And the silence of the gods who understand each other without speech,
There is the silence of defeat.

And there is the silence of the dead.
If we who are in life cannot speak
Of profound experiences,
Why do you marvel that the dead
Do not tell you of death?
Their silence shall be interpreted
As we approach them.

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Forecasts Illuminated Highways For Future

It is the belief of the State Highway Department that strange things have happened and may happen again.

At present they are looking forward to road construction materials which will contain a phosphorate substance which will illuminate highway surfaces. This is the dream of a State College instructor, who in a recent magazine anticipated the day when there will be road construction of this kind.

It is the idea of the instructor that developments in chemistry will some day make night driving a pleasure. He sees the time when motor vehicles will need only their "dimmer lights" on the phosphorescent surfaces of roads. Whatever the material used, the highway at night "will glow softly over many marvelous miles."

Night markings and warnings have given the Highway Department a great many anxious moments. Traffic dividing lines are painted on the surface of the road to indicate the approach to a curve. They are used on the crest of a hill. White paint is easily discernible in daytime, but its visibility at night is a problem.

Some varieties of white paint simply fade out under the rays of bright headlamps. Proper refraction cannot be had. Highway Department chemists have experimented with many pigments, hoping to overcome the tendency of white paint not to be white at night. They have experimented with black and orange paints. Black is regarded as impractical at night. Orange is inclined to "fade out" under the rays of the sun. A phospherescent paint, used on a road section near Harrisburg was excellent so long as no automobile headlamps shone upon it. This dividing line was all-sufficient in the dark, but that was not what the department wanted.

The phosphorescent highway conjured by the State College man will not "glow softly" under motor vehicle headlamps. It will be just like any other road surface. But if the motor car throws no bright beams of light the road of the future, as imagined by the professor, will be an improvement over those heavily traveled highway sections which today are a menace of life and property because of the glaring headlamps which no authority seems able to abolish or control.

Snow Sweeper In Operation During Most All Of Night

Snow sweeper of the street car company, was kept operating most of the night on the lines in this city.

Due to the heavy snow fall, and the slushy conditions on the ground, it was necessary to give much attention to keeping traffic open on the city lines during the night.

Cars were kept in steady operation, however, and this morning, the schedules were maintained without interruption.

We now begin to learn why so many women bobbed their hair. It was to wear wigs.

Pimples, Boils, Skin Eruptions

Skilled physicians recognize the appearance of pimples, boils and other skin eruptions as being an indication of an abnormal condition of the system. This is why so many thousands have been enabled to free themselves of these unsightly blemishes and painful annoyances by taking a course of S. S. S. You owe it to yourself to try S. S. S. It helps nature build up red corpuscles. It improves the processes by which the blood is nourished. It is time-tried and reliable.

"I suffered from impure blood—was weak, and I had lost so much weight I didn't look natural. I had pimples and was also bothered with a breaking out that itched terribly. I also had boils one after another. I tried different kinds of remedies, but nothing did me any good until a friend advised me to take S. S. S., which I did. This was some time ago. Now I feel well, and I am getting along fine. S. S. S. stopped the itching and it cured me of boils. I advise all weak and run-down people to give S. S. S. a trial. It clears up the skin and makes you strong and fills you with energy." Mrs. J. W. Barker, 1337 Walnut street, Cincinnati, Ohio.

S. S. S. is made from the fresh roots of medicinal herbs and plants and is prepared in a scientific way in a modern laboratory.

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Seventh Ward News

Watch Service Friday Evening

Epworth League Will Have Charge Of Social Period; Other News Of Seventh Ward

Friday evening, a Watch Service will be held in the Mahoning Methodist church. This watch service will begin at 8:45 p. m. As planned during the evening there will be a devotional period, social hour and another devotional period. This watch service will be similar to the one conducted last year, which was very successful and attended by a large number.

This Friday evening from 8:45 until 10 o'clock there will be a devotional period conducted by Rev. J. N. Croxall. From 10 o'clock until 11 o'clock there will be a social hour conducted by the Epworth League. During this time there will be games, stunts and refreshments will be served. Then from 11 o'clock until midnight there will be another devotional period in charge of the pastor, Rev. Croxall. Extensive plans are being made for the success of the watch party. It is expected that a large number of people will be present to watch the old year out and the new year in.

IMPROVING

H. T. Evans of West Madison avenue who has been very ill with pneumonia is reported as being some better.

THEATRE REPAIRED

The appearance of the Crescent Theatre is improved since it has been re-decorated and varnished on the inside and the entrance repainted white. This building was recently damaged by fire, but is now all repaired and open.

RECOVERING

Martin Rusk of East Clayton street who has been confined to the Shenango Valley hospital for the past several weeks with a fractured hip, the result of a fall, continues to be getting along as well as can be expected.

MAHONING BOOK CLUB

The members of the Mahoning Book Club will have their club meeting at the home of Mrs. E. F. Toepfer on Hazlecroft avenue on Thursday afternoon.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. C. J. Rafferty of Newell avenue, recently returned home from Ambridge, Pa., where she had been for several weeks on account of the serious illness of her mother.

VISITING HERE

Mrs. Louis Sutliffe and children of Williard, O., are visiting with the former's father and sister, Hiram Pitzer and Mrs. J. J. Harris of West Madison avenue.

ONE GROUP TO BE PROMOTED

One group, 9A, will be promoted from the Mahoning school to Senior High school at the end of the present semester. If all the pupils pass in this group there will be a class of 21 pupils promoted from the Mahoning school to Senior High.

PRACTICE BASKETBALL

The girls of Mahoning school are practicing basketball. Practice under the supervision of Miss Wetmore, gymnasium teacher, was held Tuesday in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium and last week one day in the Y. W. C. A. gym. The varsity girls basketball team of the school will be selected soon. The first game will be played shortly after school begins following the holidays.

BOY SCOUTS

The members of the Kiwanis Boy Scout Troop No. 4, are planning to attend the church service in the Mahoning Presbyterian church next Sunday morning in a body.

RECOVERING

Mrs. H. L. Rankin of West Cherry street, who is ill at her home with diphtheria, is reported to be getting along nicely.

Peggy, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Wallace of West Madison avenue, is recovering from a recent illness.

AT GREENVILLE

Miss Dorothy Fisher of Newell avenue left Tuesday to visit with friends at Greenville, Pa.

SEVENTH WARD PERSONALS

George Jenkins, a student at Geneva College, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jenkins, of East Long avenue.

Start Movement To Retain Cotton Mills In North

Sixty Cities And Towns In South Seek Location Of Cotton Mill

(International News Service)

BOSTON, Dec. 29.—Cotton goods manufacturers mill operatives and local and state governments have joined hands in a great cooperative movement to keep mills in the north, according to a survey made public today by several mill associations.

Competition offered by the south was indicated by the disclosure that 60 cities and towns in the states of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Tennessee, Kentucky and Arkansas made offers to the Otis company when it was first proposed by that corporation to move some of its machinery south and start a new plant there. The offers, it was said, included such inducements as free sites, tax exemption, cheap power and favorable labor conditions.

However, with the postponement of the plan by the Otis company to abandon their plant in Ware, that town is considering a reduction in the company taxes. The incoming legislature will be asked to reduce the state tax. Employes of the company's plant at Greenville, N. H., voted to accept a wage reduction as the town fathers prepared to reduce taxes.

S. A. R. Banquet Friday, January 7

Two Of State Officers To Attend New Castle Gathering This Year

Plans have been completed for the annual banquet and meeting of the Sons of the American Revolution.

The date for the event is Friday January 7 and the banquet will be served at the dining hall of the Elks club.

Attorney W. J. Caldwell president of the local chapter will preside for the occasion.

In addition to other matters to come before the meeting two of the state officers will be in attendance and make addresses, these being Col. Franklin Blackstone of Pittsburgh, vice president of the state society and Dr. C. C. Hughes also of Pittsburgh member of the board of management of the state society.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the sympathy shown at the death of our infant, Angeline, and thanks to Leonard Salerno and Patsy Nero for their service; also for the floral tribute and cars donated.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Santello and Family.

Local—1t*

There's one Progressive Senator not easy to handle. He doesn't eat breakfast.

Senators Oppose Coolidge Plan For Nicaragua

Some Opposition To Methods Of President In Dealing With Nicaragua

(International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—President Coolidge's announcement that American naval forces will be kept in Nicaragua "to protect American lives and property," coupled with the denial that these forces are taking sides in the civil war there, did not serve today to allay Senate opposition to the administration's policy.

An investigation by the Senate still is threatened, and on top of this Senator Burton K. Wheeler, Democrat, of Montana, announced today he would introduce a resolution as soon as the Senate reconvenes demanding the recall of the American forces from Nicaragua soil.

"It is apparent," said Wheeler, "that the American commander in Nicaragua is under the impression we are at war with those people.

"His action in establishing a censorship there is outrageous."

The American commander in Nicaragua is Rear Admiral Julian K. Latimer. He has four warships and a substantial force of Marines and bluejackets at his disposal.

Senator Borah, Republican, of Idaho, chairman of the Senate foreign relations committee, is similarly dissatisfied with the administration's policy. He has had several conferences with Secretary of State Kellogg concerning the matter.

"There is absolutely no justification for American Marines or bluejackets getting mixed up in any contest between the opposing Nicaraguan factions," said Borah. "We are not conducting any war against those people."

Withers Not To Accept Position As College Head

(International News Service)

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Dec. 29—With the definite announcement from Dr. J. W. Withers of New York that he could not accept the presidency of West Virginia university, authorities here were silent today concerning further plans to secure the services of another well known educator.

From reliable sources, however, it was learned that the state board of control is seriously considering several other prominent educators for the position.

The board announced there will be no publicity attending the negotiations and the identity of the new president will not be known until all details of the change are completed.

Fall Resting Quietly Says Doctors Today

(International News Service)

EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 29.—"Resting quietly," was the message from the bedside of Albert B. Fall, former secretary of the interior, this morning. The former government official is suffering from pneumonia in one lung. Members of the family and the attending physician declared they believe the crisis has passed.

Station Robbery Is Frustrated

(International News Service)

DERRY, Pa., Dec. 29.—State and local police today searched for a bandit who was frustrated in his efforts to rifle the safe of the Derry passenger station here last night, when, after attempting to force Jay Cummins, agent, to open the safe, he was frightened away by the approach of a group of railroad workers.

Cummins told officers he refused to reveal the safe combination and the bandit was threatening him with a revolver when the men were sighted through a window and the bandit fled.

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Wash Silk Gowns and Chemises, lace trimmed, four colors, at **1-4 Off**

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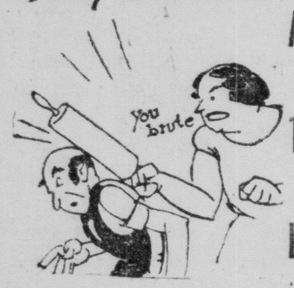

—ON THE STAGE—

DOYLE REVUE

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3 LITTLE MAIDS

"But What They Do to the Blues."

AILEEN & ANNETTE

"A Pair of Queens."

The 2 Young Sisters

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Every seat in the house is reserved for the Midnight Show. Because of the special show, and the quality of the 6 acts, the admission is $1.10 and you'll get your money's worth. The doors open at 11:15, the show opens at 11:45. When does it finish. "Dunt esk."

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No Extension For 1926 Auto Tags

Still Large Number Of Drivers And Owners Of Cars Who Are Without New License Tags

While many auto drivers have been using the new 1927 license tags on their cars for a week or more there are still a number of owners and drivers of cars in New Castle and Lawrence county who are without the new license plates.

It is entirely their own fault in practically every case.

For weeks past it has been possible to secure the licenses and the fasct has been broadcasted in the state.

According to announcement of authorities there will be no extension of the time limit in which the 1926 tags can be used on cars.

CHILD HAS NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH

SHARPSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 29.—Prosser Atkinson, 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Atkinson of Ridge avenue had a narrow escape from death when he fell down a 400-foot embankment bordering the Pennsylvania railroad a short distance north of this borough. His only injuries were a broken arm and lacerations about the face.

Prosser with other boys went out this morning to shoot his air rifle. They followed the Pennsy tracks north to a point where the railroad climbs a steep embankment bordering the river.

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Open Evenings

Troop A Issues Call To Youth Of City; Recruits Are Needed

Troop A, 104th U. S. cavalry, stands in need of recruits at the present time, it is announced. Young men between the ages of 18 and 35 years are eligible to join this organization and the call is now made for men in order to fill up the complement of the outfit.

The recruits are needed to fill existing vacancies caused by discharges and removals and these vacancies in the ranks of the organization must be filled by January 1. The fact of the matter is that the securing of these recruits will have a very strong bearing on whether or not the troop remains here or is transferred to some other point.

An appeal is being made now to the red blooded young men of the city for the purpose of securing the needed recruits and retaining the organization here.

Troop A was organized 23 years ago in this city. There have been many men enlisted in that time and many discharged. These men in the past have endeavored to build up something of a permanent character for their home town and trying to place New Castle before the public in a pleasing light, when away.

There have been two occasions when the troop has answered the call and on each of these occasions the troop members have done their best and proven the kind of stuff they were made of.

This organization is constantly in need of younger blood from year to year in order to perpetuate it as an active and progressive organization.

The whole question, according to those in charge, is whether the young men of the city are going to sit still and see the organization, with its fine record of service, go out of existence, or stand up and sign up and insure the continuance of the troop in this city.

Board Of Directors To Meet On Thursday

Last meeting of the board of directors of the New Castle Chamber of Commerce will be held on Thursday at noon at the Elks club.

A number of important matters are to come before the session prior to the opening of the new year's activities for city betterment.

Estimate 11,667 Deer Killed In Recent Season

Number Deer Killed This Year Surpasses Record For 1925

(International News Service)

HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 29.—During the 15-day deer season which ended Dec. 15, hunters killed 11,667 deer legally in Pennsylvania, according to estimates on record here today at the offices of the state game commission. This figure surpassed by more than 4,000 the number killed in 1925. That year 7,287 deer were killed.

The kill estimated from the reports made by hunters does not include the does killed during the four day post-season.

Ten elk were killed this year, four more than a year ago; and 645 bear as compared with 470 in 1925.

Rabbits were killed in smaller numbers than for several years, the commission reported, and with the exception of ringneck pheasants, birds were bagged in smaller numbers this season than in 1925.

Y. M. C. A. Boys Honor Goodwin Tuesday

Gather At Y. M. C. A. For Farewell To Boy's Work Director Of Past Few Years

O. S. Goodwin, the local boys' work director of the Y. M. C. A., was honored by the boys of the association yesterday noon at a dinner held in the Y. dining room. Seventy-five boy members of the institution were present to show Mr. Goodwin their appreciation of his service while in our city.

William Kirk, president of the Senior Hi-Y Club, was toastmaster of the occasion. Toastmaster Kirk called on the members of the different classes. Junior B class was represented by Junior Brown; Junior A class by Sherwood Johns, Junior Hi-Y Club by Kenneth Meyers; Senior Hi-Y Club by B. Sankey, and the employed boys' class by Howard Smith. Each of these boys spoke of their appreciation of the splendid help and service to them which Mr. Goodwin had rendered while in New Castle.

After the boys had made these remarks regarding their appreciation, Francis Sage presented Mr. Goodwin with a Bible as a gift from the boys of the department. Mr. Goodwin responded with a splendid talk in thanking the boys for their kind words. He also gave them many good thoughts to take with them in remembrance of him. It will be many days before the boys of New Castle will forget their fine association with Mr. Goodwin. The meeting closed by all of the boys shaking hands with Mr. Goodwin and wishing him good luck in his new field.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness of our wife and sister, Mrs. Catherine Owens; also for the flowers and cars donated.

R. R. Owens and
Adv. 1t* Miss Margaret Coulter.

Old timers were queer. They thought rich men would go to hell instead of the Senate.

Goes to Work

Kate Colby, daughter of Bainbridge Colby, Secretary of State in the Wilson Cabinet, accepted a position in a Philadelphia steamship office.

BERNIE MACK'S ORCHESTRA TO PLEASE NEWSIES

Bernie Mack and his Royar Serenaders, one of the jazziest jazz bands that ever straddled a platform will furnish the "pep 'em" for the newsboys when they banquet at the Leslie then trot to Carnegie auditorium to see the newsies vaudeville show, sponsored by Leff & Silverman of the Leslie.

Bernie telephoned to the committee in charge of the New Year's afternoon proclivities: "I will be only too glad to give the services of the Royal Serenaders. All of us who have a part in the jazz band have a place in our hearts for the little curb merchants and the boys who deliver the 'Evening's Evenin' to our doors."

According to reports the banquet will consist of everything that is palatable. Only newsboys and newsgirls will participate but in the "big show" there will be all kinds of talent, the colored chapter of the American Legion last night having declared their intention of sending some of their minstrel talent to the show.

Here's the way the show lines up:

Allen Haid, musical act.
Will D. Williams, vocal selection.
Georgie King and Miss Reinhart, musical act.
The Lelenkoes, dancing act.
Henry Bryson, old-time fiddler.
Julia and Paul Tyrrell, violin and piano.
Bugs Walther, popular song hits.
Eddie Fritz, Jr., dancing act.
Elwell, Love and Bowser in a blackface monologue.
Charles Smalley, Lawrence county mouth-organ champion.
Ruth Phillips and Zelma Sontag, dancing sketch.
David and Howard Kimmell, ukelele and songs.
Gladys Burnsides, city Charleston champion.
De Lillio and Chill, the "Diddle-Do Boys".
The Three Griffiths, Jack in songs, Steve at the piano and Steve Jr., with the drums.
Mina Strong in "Taps" and dance numbers.

During the program Bernie Mack's orchestra will interpolate with jazz numbers.

A couple of more acts will be secured to make the "big show bigger and better than ever."

The list is still open and names can be telephoned to Ed Fritz, Sr., chairman of the committee.

The tickets will be given to newsboys and newsgirls only but the show will be free to the public. Carnegie Steel officials having given the auditorium gratis in addition to the services of police and auditorium attendants.

Three Injured In Auto Wreck

(International News Service)

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Dec. 29—Three Point Marion, Pa., men were injured in an automobile accident near here today. They were E. S. Tyler, Fred Guyax and Archie Bernson. Their car collided with a car bearing a West Virginia license and said to be owned by Eugene Sellers, of Morgantown. The trio suffered lacerations and bruises.

Sentence Sermons

By Rev. Roy D. Smith, D. D.

ONE DISADVANTAGE—

About being rich is that it creates too much interest in your dying.

About being prominent is that it attracts so many friends who want to be.

About being good looking is that you are apt to discover it yourself.

About being guilty is that it is so difficult to prove you are innocent.

About being a liar is that you have to keep on lying.

About running for office is that it never pays the cost of the race.

About offending your conscience is that it always has a comeback.

Temporary Income Tax Office May Be Provided Here

Income Tax Blanks To Be Sent Out Early In January

Income tax return blanks will be mailed out from Pittsburgh on January 1, according to Marion S. Woods, former head of the internal revenue office in this city, when it was maintained here, and still a member of the internal revenue force working out of Pittsburgh.

The failure to receive one of these blanks, where the income of an individual or firm is such as to require a return, will be no excuse for failure to make a return.

At the present time, according to Mr. Woods, he does not know what arrangements will be made locally for the filing of returns here as in the past, but it is probable that a temporary headquarters will be established here for that purpose.

Mr. Woods states that it is probable that he will be engaged as in former years, in receiving income tax returns in this city at a place to be determined on and designated in the near future.

Oil Production Shows Increase

(International News Service)

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The daily average gross production of crude oil in the United States for the week ended December 25, increased 5,650 barrels to 2,402,350 barrels daily for the period, according to an estimate issued today by the American Petroleum Institute. The average output of California and Mid Continent fields was 663,600 and 1,,358,250 barrels, respectively.

Receipts of California crude and refined oil at Atlantic and Gulf coast ports during the week totaled 470,000 barrels, a daily average of 67,143 barrels against a daily average of 68,286 barrels for the preceding week. Imports of crude and refined oils at the principal United States ports averaged 170,857 barrels daily as compared with the previous week's average of 183,714 barrels.

Husband Slayers To Be Sentenced

(International News Service)

MT. CLEMENS, Mich., Dec. 29.—Mrs. Antonia Kobrzycki, 34, and Alexander Miller, 36, who pleaded guilty last night to the murder of Mrs. Kobrzycki's husband, Paul, will be sentenced Friday. Mrs. Kobrzycki is the mother of three children and Miller the father of three. Paul was shot to death while he and his wife slept in two beds. Mrs. Kobrzycki and Miller confessed that they decided to kill Kobrzycki so that they might marry. Mrs. Kobrzycki admitted she left the doors of her home open to permit Miller to enter to shoot her husband.

MRS. MILES TO HEAD WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

Mrs. H. W. Miles was elected president of the Woman's Missionary society of St. John's Lutheran church at the annual meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Mary Riffer of Park avenue.

Mrs. C. W. Herman Hess was named vice president; Mrs. C. E. Newderfer, recording secretary; Mrs. Charles Thompson, finacial secretary and Miss Emma Thompson, treasurer.

A playlet' "Bells of the East" was well presented under the leadership of Mrs. F. J. Rawle. Mrs. C. W. Herman Hess sang the solo part of the play.

It was reported that $82 had been received as a thank offering and $22 for the Chinese girls school.

Scatter seeds of sunshine; the world is better for a smile.

Revival To Open In Free Methodist Church On Sunday

Evangelistic meetings will begin in the First Free Methodist church, Arlington avenue on Sunday, January 2, and will continue indefinitely. There will be services each evening at 7:30 with the exception of Saturday evening.

This week is being observed as a week of prayer preparatory to the revival effort. The cooperation of all those interested in the salvation of others is earnestly solicited, regardless of their church relations.

ACCIDENTAL SHOT KILLS MAN

SOMERSET, Pa., Dec. 29.—Samuel Lattanzi, 34, of McDonaldton, died yesterday in the Somerset Community hospital from the effects of an accidental shot while cleaning a revolver in his home on Sunday.

Moderns know a little about more things, but they seem to know fewer things well.

The adjective in "easy payments" doesn't refer to the collector's job, either.

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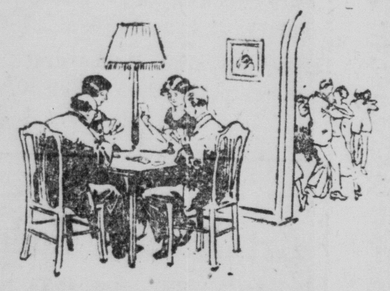

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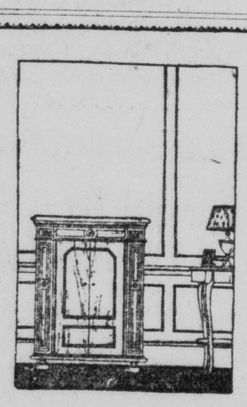

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Daily News Letter

Gossip of Staff Correspondents at World Centers of Population

Timber Cutting Shows Increase

Japan May Eventually Be Destroyed By Quakes And Island Sinking, Claim

NUMEROUS OPERA SINGERS ON COAST

By THOMAS R. CURRAN
International News Service Staff Correspondent

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—There may be no Japan ages hence. Ocean faults in the Pacific may "gobble" the islands which now comprise the Japanese empire.

Levi S. Noble of the United States Geological Survey, revealed this startling situation upon his return from Tokio recently where he attended the Pacific science conference.

At that conference, Noble added, Japanese scientists explained that an island known as Kyusu, forming a part of the Japanese cluster, had sunk beneath the sea 300 years ago, carrying with it a population of 5,000 persons.

The terrible earthquake disaster three years ago, according to geologists, was another indication of the "settling" process which will eventually wipe out the "Land of the Rising Sun."

Dog fanciers in northern California have of late shown partiality to the breed known as Scottish terriers. All of the shows held in this territory recently have indicated increased breeding of this genus, and many kennels are exhibiting these terriers exclusively.

The Golden Gate Kennel club show will be held late in January.

The legitimate theatre is going to smash, but out of the debris artistic drama, stripped of commercialism, will arise. That was the prediction here today of Morris Gest, the producer who with Max Reinhardt, the German "genius of the theatre," is showing "The Miracle" in the United States. "Too long have our theatres been run like stores," Gest declared. "The drama must be considered solely as an art."

Timber cutting in California national forests last year totalled 300,000,000 board feet T. D. Woodbury, assistant district forester, estimated today. Most of this, he said was pine lumber.

Approximately 100,000,000,000 feet of government timber is still standing in California and in western Nevada, Woodbury added.

Last year's cut brought the government nearly $1,000,000.

California may soon flood the nation with opera singers.

As an indication of the growth of popularity of grand opera in the state, a course has just been opened at the University of California which will drill students in musical pronunciation of the Italian language, considered an absolute necessity in the equipment of any opera singer.

The Sacramento valley, one of the garden spots of the state, has been dropped by a large cooperative raisin association on account of its small raisin tonnage. Notices that contracts were voided after the first of the year were sent to all growers in the Sacramento valley.

Bible School Of Princeton Church Presents Program

Varied Entertainment Of Christmas Songs And Exercises Feature Of Evening

(Special To The News)

PRINCETON, Dec. 29.—The Bible school held their annual Christmas entertainment in the Princeton Presbyterian church on Christmas eve.

The church was beautifully decorated by the pastor Rev. Gregory. Charles Drake had charge of the music. The program was as follows.

Holy Night—By the school.
Prayer—By Rev. Gregory.
Exercise—By the primary department and Clara Ellen Shaffer.
Song—By the choir.
Exercise—The Star.
Song—Helen White, Esther Weisz.
Song—By the choir.
Exercise—The Ladder of Joy.
Solo—Mrs. Shaffer.
Recitation—Martha Weisz.
Exercise—Christmas Star.
Song—By the choir.
Recitation—John Young.
Solo—Helen Turner.
Exercise—King Immanuel.
Song—By the choir.
Exercise—The Christmas Stranger.
Recitation—Esther Weisz.
Solo—Charles Drake.
Candle Drill in charge of Rev. Gregory.
Exercise—The Five Bells.
Recitation—James Morrison.
Exercise—Telling the Old, Old Story.
Song—By the choir.

CHRISTMAS DINNER.

Mr. and Mrs. George Myers held their annual Christmas dinner at their home Saturday. The home was tastefully decorated. The friends being all present except three. The day was spent informally. A sumptuous dinner was served at noon.

VISITING FRIENDS.

Mrs. W. D. Morrison and son James and daughter Evelyn left Tuesday to visit relatives in Painesville.

THAT COULD BE

Bank Manager: But why do you want to work in a bank?

Boy: I believe there's money in it.—Tit-Bits, London.

A Record Breaker

Mrs. B. F. Parker, 86, of Brockton, Mass., has completed in twenty-two days a quilt of 1,792 pieces, made for a granddaughter. Mrs. Parker scorns the use of eye glasses. During the World War she knitted 115 sweaters in four months.

GERMAN NOTABLES DUPED BY MINER, POSING AS PRINCE

WEIMAR, Germany, Dec. 29.—Posing as Prince William, son of the former German crown prince, a 22-year-old miner from the Baltic, under the title of Baron Korff, succeeded for a time in duping the notables of the little towns of Gotha, Erfurt and Weimar.

After various substantial loans from his hosts and inscribing his name in the "golden book" at Erfurt, the pseudo prince disappeared. He is wanted by the police on several charges, and has served time for embezzlement and fraud.

ALBERT WILL LET GEORGE PICK UP NEXT PIN HE SEES

LADYSMITH, Wis., Dec. 29.—No more will Albert Conklin "obey that impulse" when he sees a pin.

Believing in the adage, "See a pin and pick it up and all that day you'll have good luck," Conklin stooped down in front of the post office to get the pin.

As he did so, his head bumped the brick wall. His hat rolled into the street. His glasses fell to the sidewalk and were broken. His suspenders gave way. Last, but not least, the buttonhole in the back of his collar was torn out.

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MT. HERMON

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Young entertained at a family dinner on Christmas Day, members of the Book family. At noon an elaborate dinner was served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Book, Walker Book, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse F. Boak of New Castle, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Allison and family of Jacksville, Mrs. Viola Boak and daughter, Effie, Mrs. Cora McConnell, Mr. and Mrs. J. Edw. Boak and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Book and family, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Book and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Blair and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Young and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dean entertained at a six o'clock dinner on Friday, the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. J. Edw. Boak and children Wilberta and James, Mrs. Viola Boak and daughter Effie, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse F. Boak, and Mr. and Mrs. George Dean and family.

There will be church services at Hermon next Sunday afternoon at half past two o'clock. Services last Sunday were conducted by Rev. Jay Mersbimer on account of the illness of the pastor, Rev. Gregory.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stoner were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Vincent of Slippery Rock last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Audley Stevenson and baby called on Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stevenson Saturday evening.

Misses Grace and Freida McConnell of New Castle were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Kildoo recently.

Ashley Stevenson is spending his vacation with friends near New Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kildoo entertained the following guests at family dinner on Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. David McCullooch of Zion, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gardner and daughter Elenor of Plaingrove. Mr. and Mrs. Milton McCracken and children Ethel, Mildred, Gladys and Raymond, Mr. and Mrs. Frances McCracken and children Everett, Bertha, Ralph and Loyd, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Kildoo and Miss Jessie Kildoo.

Miss Mary Wright was the guest of her friend Miss Wilberta Boak Monday evening.

Miss Jessie Kildoo is spending her vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kildoo.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Shaw entertained the following guests at Christmas dinner Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Quigley and daughters Wanda and Frances, and Mr. Book of McCaslin, Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher and children Helen and Sloan of Grove City and daughter Margaret Byrd.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Blair and daughter Juanita called on Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Shaw Friday evening.

Mrs. Samuel Kildoo and daughter Jessie called on Mrs. D. F. Henry and family Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Magee of New Castle entertained the following guests at Christmas dinner Saturday: Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Stevenson and family of Hermon, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dick and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Magee, Logan and Marjorie Spear of New Wilmington, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Harrison and family of Leesburg, Mrs. Mary Glitch and Louis Glitch.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Horner of New Brighton were Sunday guests of Mrs. Cora McConnell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. White spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts.

Joseph Stoner is spending the Christmas vacation with relatives in Oil City.

A good driver is one who swallows his vanity to keep a fool driver from killing himself.

ESKIMO HAS GOOD WAY TO GET FISH

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, Dec 29.—A novel tip for anglers may be gleaned from the methods of Old Ioguk, medicine man and sovereign of an isolated tribe of Eskimos living on the windswept mudflats between the Yukon and Kuskowin rivers in Western Alaska.

Every spring before the salmon run up the river to spawn Old Ioguk journeys to the river mouths where he performs queer incantations and magic rites. Wearing a wooden mask resembling a salmon trout he dances and chants, commanding the fish to swim up the stream to his people.

ONE MAN GARDEN PLAN IS SOUGHT

NEW YORK, Dec. 29—A nation-wide prize competition open to men and women in every state to discover the best plan for a "one man garden" is announced by the New York Botanical Garden.

The aim of the contest according to the announcement, "is to popularize the possibilities of small—one-man or one-woman—gardens with a maximum of taste and minimum of expense." The contest will close March 1, 1927 and in the spring or early summer the Botanical Garden will lay out in its garden the prize garden.

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Lot of Men's Ties, silk and wool and cut silk ..... 1-2 Off
Lot of Men's, Boys' Lumber Jacks, to close ..... 1-4 Off
Lot of Children's Panty Dresses, sizes 2 to 6 ..... 1-4 Off
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Lot of Fancy Linen Bridge Sets, to close ..... 1-4 Off
Lot of Tinklebell Challies, to close ..... 1-4 Off
Lot of Remnants of all kinds to close ..... 1-2 Off
Lot of Linen Sets with colored borders ..... 1-3 Off
Lot of Fancy Rubber Aprons, to close ..... 1-4 Off
Lot of display Handkerchiefs, to close ..... 1-3 to 1-2 Off
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Pennsylvania Motor Fatalities Are Highest In Proportion In U. S.

By GEORGE H. MANNING
Washington Correspondent of The News

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 29.—Automobile accident fatalities in the state of Pennsylvania last year were among the highest in proportion to the total number of automobiles registered for any state in the Union.

Ranking fourth among all the states in the total number of cars registered, Pennsylvania had the second largest number of deaths from accidents in which automobiles were involved during the year. According to a study of the subject just completed by the National Conference on Street and Highway Safety, there were 1,339,433 autos registered in Pennsylvania, while the number of fatalities for the year was 1,659.

There was one auto accident fatality for every 802 machines registered in Pennsylvania last year, compared with a ratio of one death to every 923 cars in the United States as a whole. In the proportion of auto fatalities to number of cars registered, Pennsylvania was the eighth highest among all the states of the country, being exceeded only by Florida, New Jersey, Wyoming, Connecticutt, Rhode Island, Alabama and New York.

Florida ranked first in the proportion of fatalities compared with the number of autos registered. In that state one person was killed for every 597 cars registered. In Iowa there were fewer deaths, compared with the number of cars owned, than in any other state, there having been only one death to every 2,190 cars registered.

The National Conference on Street and Highway Safety, of which Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover is chairman, points out that the death rate from automobile accidents is increasing rapidly year after year, and that the street hazard for everyone is becoming greater and greater with the increasing number of automobiles. Better regulations must be enacted and enforced and better safety campaigns must be carried on, the National Conference declares. The increase in automobile fatalities cannot be excused on the ground that the number of automobiles, and therefore the risk, has grown, it is stated.

In the United States as a whole there were 19,954,347 automobiles registered in 1925, while the total number of deaths from accidents in which automobiles were involved was 26,627, a ratio of 108 deaths for every 100,000 automobiles registered.

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Five Charter Members Among Those Present—Social Time After Business Session

PULASKI, Pa., Dec. 29.—A large crowd attended the regular meeting of the Protected Home Circle Lodge which was held on Monday evening.

The President, James Black presided. Five charter members were present: Mrs. Mary E. Reno of Chautaugua, New York; Mrs. Francis Ferver, Mrs. J. W. Smith, E. L. Ayers and James Riblet. A solo "One Fleeting Hour" was given by Mrs. Muryl Boyd with Mrs. J. F. Myers, pianist. At the close of the business meeting a social time was held when delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Ralph Ayers, Mrs. J. P. Clark, Mrs. James Black, Mrs. Muryl Boyd, Mrs. J. F. Myers, Misses Evelyn Grill, Jane Tomer and Rosalie Grill.

FAMILY DINNERS

James Riblet assisted by his sister Mrs. Francis Ferver entertained at a family dinner at his home on Saturday. Christmas decorations were used and covers were arranged for seventeen. Those present were Mrs. Mayo Porter and daughters Grace and Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. William Riblet, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Riblet of New Castle, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hamilton and children Ruth, William and Raymond of New Wilmington, B. E. Riblet, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Scott and children Betty and Bennie of West Middlesex.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mitcheltree entertained at a prettily appointed family dinner at their home on Christmas. Places were arranged for seventeen. Red and green being the colors used in the decorations. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mitcheltree, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mitcheltree and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Myers and sons, B. T. Mitcheltree and children Robert and Marion and Walter Mitcheltree.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Rodgers entertained at an attractive dinner at their home on Christmas. Covers were arranger for ten. The guests included Miss Helen Rodgers of Clairton, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Shepherd and Wycliffe of Columbus, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rodgers and daughter Elsie Gene and Walker Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Evans entertained at an attractive family dinner at their home on Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Mitcheltree and son Joe being special guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ayers were entertained at dinner at the home of the latter's sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fritz of New Castle on Saturday.

PULASKI NOTES

Mrs. Muryl Boyd rendered a solo and assisted in a cantata given in the U. P. church in Sharon on Sunday.

A. B. Black who has been in Buhl hospital, Sharon for almost six months was able to be brought to the home of his daughter Mrs. Robert Stowe this week.

John Gurtner of Ohio has been spending some time the guest of his brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. George Gurtner.

Russell and James Wallace are both confined to their homes with the measles.

Max Gurtner of Farrell is spending a few days the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Etzrott.

Mr. and Mrs. Muryl Boyd and son Tomy were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Barnes of Sharon for dinner on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bailey of New Castle were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ayers.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mitcheltree and family were entertained at dinner at the home of friends in Youngstown on Sunday.

Mrs. Adda Urey who has been confined to her home with illness for the past week is improving.

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New Galilee

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mastsolf of Canton, O., spent Christmas at the home of Albert Welsh.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin Cornwall of Pittsburgh spent Christmas at the home of William Langhorst.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Owens spent the holidays at the home of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Owens, of New Brighton.

Miss Jessie McClymonds of Darlington spent Christmas with Mrs. Charles Shannon and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burnham of Big Beaver township, Mr. and Mrs. William Noggle of near Mt. Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Yoho, Mildred Schoder and O. Sowers of Greenfield, Pa., visited at the home of John Yoho on Christmas.

Evelyn Brown of Pittsburgh spent the week-end at the home of William Langhorst.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Yoho of Wampum, Pa., visited at the home of John Yoho on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown of Pittsburgh visited at the home of William Langhorst on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Greer and J. K. Gilkey were visitors in Beaver Falls on Monday.

Keith Flowers spent Monday in Darlington.

Mrs. Josie Greer of Big Beaver township visited at Knox Gilkey's on Saturday.

Mrs. Malone is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Schmolly and family moved to their farm they recently purchased in Big Beaver township.

John Mitchell was a business visitor in Darlington on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Gilkey and family visited at the home of Allen Noggle near Wampum, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Caskey and family of Mt. Jackson spent the holidays with Mrs. Malone and son, Joe.

Mrs. Albert Martsoff and daughter, Emma, of Big Beaver township, visited with Mrs. Charles Hazen on Monday.

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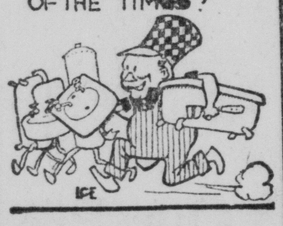

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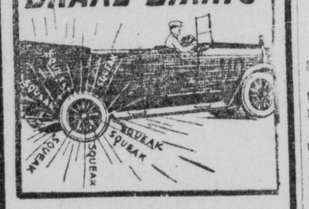

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HOUSEHOLD HINTS

BY MRS. MARY MORTON

MENU HINT

During the Christmas holidays when the young people are at home one wants often to have a guest or two for dinner. The menu printed below will serve five people liberally, and is appetizing.

Combination Soup
Cheese Crackers
Steamed Chicken
Riced Potatoes and Gravy
Buttered Lima Beans
Rolls Jelly
Celery Cucumber Pickle
Gelatin Vegetable Salad
Lemon Cake Pie
Coffee

TODAY'S RECIPES

Gelatin Vegetable Salad

Dissolve one package flavored gelatin and set to cool.

One cup red cabbage, one cup tart apples, three-quarter cup carrots.

You may cut all on the four-sided slicer and grater. Add one tablespoon vinegar or lemon juice, one tablespoon sugar, add salt to states. Mix this in the gelatin just before it starts to congeal. Pour into mold and set in cold place until firm. Serve on lettuce with a salad dressing.

Steamed Chicken

Roll chicken in flour, season, fry in butter until a golden brown. Place in iron kettle, add one cup of water to the skillet in which the chicken was browned, then pour this liquid over chicken. For flavor, add a small piece of onion cut fine and one stalk of celery. Have the heat as low as possible. Put kettle on top of stove and steam for three hours or until tender. Make gravy with liquid left in kettle.

Lemon Cake Pie

Three eggs, three tablespoons of lemon juice, one teaspoon of lemon rind, one cup sugar, three tablespoons flour, pinch of salt, one tablespoon butter, one and one-quarter cups milk.

Beat egg yolks until thick and lemon colored; add lemon juice and rind. Mix sugar, flour and salt to lemon mixture; stir in melted butter and milk. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Bake in pie crust as you would a pumpkin pie. Bake in quick oven ten minutes then turn gas down and finish baking about 25 minutes until firm.

Well Known Banker Dies In Dormont

Henry T. Cochran, Well Known Banker, And Fair Association Head, Dies

(International News Service)

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 29.—Henry T. Cochran, 70, of Dawson, Pa., president of the Fayette County Fair Association, and widely known banker, coal and coke operator and owner of pure bred cattle, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Alvin J. Williams, at Dormont, a suburb, yesterday. Death was due to an intestinal ailment.

Cochran was active in Fayette county financial circles, and was an executive in a large independent coal and coke company in Fayette county, but had given most of his attention in his later years to the breeding of fancy show cattle.

His holdings in this line were considered the most expensive in western Pennsylvania. He was also the owner of the Dawson Race track, an kept a stable of race horses.

The widow, daughter and two sons, Harry, former member of the state legislature from Fayette county, and George T., secretary of the Fayette County Fair Association, survive.

Another thing that makes food cost more is the fact that it's more fun to choose from a menu than to cook.

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Lodge Officers Must Stand Trial For Conspiracy

Between 150 And 200 Eagles Lodge Officers Nabbed In Liquor Raid

(International News Service)

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 29.—Between 150 and 200 officials and 21 lodges of the Fraternal Order of Eagles in the Pittsburgh district must stand trial on charges of conspiracy to violate the prohibition laws, with added punishment of removal from lodge office if found guilty, it was indicated today by statements of U. S. Attorney John D. Meyer and Charles C. Guenther, past grand worthy president of the Eagles.

Prohibition agents alleged they seized liquor valued at thousands of dollars during raids on 22 lodges of the order. In all but one of them, it was charged, quantities of contraband liquor were found. More than 40 officers and stewards of the lodges were arrested and released on $1,000 bond each.

The ultimatums of Meyer and Guenther are taken to mean that all officers of the lodges under suspicion must appear in court in connection with the cases, the point being that unless proved without blame, all officers of lodges against which convictions are jointly liable in the eyes of the law and the national regulations of the order.

Hearing dates were set for the month of January, with trials early in February.

Select Y Boys To Compete At Oil City Event

When the boys of the New Castle Y. M. C. A. go to Oil City, Thursday, December 30, they will be prepared to give the Oil City Y. M. C. A. boys a meet that will be remembered for a long time. Many of the boys going on this trip were strong scorers in the meet with Coraopolis.

Following is a list of events, and the boys who will take part in them.

Basketball:

Boys under 14: Rodgers, Shaffer, Smith, Rudolph, Grolmes, G. Jones.

Boys under 16: A. Jones, McLaughlin, Schultz, Johns, C. Smith, Beal.

Hi-Y team, taking in boys under 18.

Swimming: Divers: Watson, Shuler and Lightner.

Back Stroke: Shuler, Mooney.

Breast Stroke: Shuler, Mooney.

40 yard dash: Hannon and Mooney.

100 yard dash: Vago, Grannis, and Hannon.

Relay: Vago, Hannon, Grannis and Soring.

Plunge for distance: Dinsmore and Vago.

Ping Pong: Johns, Meermans, Godwin, Sage, McBurney, Trainer, Woods, Hannon.

Checkers: McBurney, Doher and Hannon.

Cook Loses Life, As Palatial Home Is Fire Damaged

(International News Service)

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 29.—Fire early today destroyed the palatial residence of T. Nelson Strother, banker and broker, in Green Spring Valley.

Hannah Jones, a colored cook, was burned to death.

The house contained art works, furniture and bric-a-brac valued at half a million dollars.

The Strothers are in Europe.

The nearby home of Senator William Cabell Bruce was also fired by sparks, but the damage was slight.

Street Car Hits Man; $5000 Damages Asked

Salvatore Audia of Hickory township has filed a suit against the Penn-Ohio Railway company in which he asks $5,000 damages for injuries sustained when he was struck by a street car on South Mill street. Audia claims that in July, 1925, he was crossing the street near the intersection of Division, when he was hit by the steps of a car and hurled to the ground, sustaining painful injuries. Audia is 78 years old. He claims that he saw the car coming and that he thought he had ample time to cross in front of it, but that the car was speeded up as it approached him.

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Wants Damages For Automobile Wrecked On Mt. Jackson Road

A. H. Schultz of North Beaver township, has filed a suit against Dennis Murphy of Pittsburgh, in which he asks $257.10 damages. Shultz claims that he was driving on the Mt. Jackson road to this city, and that when about two miles West of Mahoningtown he was struck by the Murphy machine which was going West. The right hand front and rear wheels were torn from the Shultz machine and it was otherwise damaged Shultz claims that the accident was due to the careless driving of Murphy who was over the middle line of the road and driving at a high rate of speed.

BOY ON SLED STRIKES AUTO

Near Serious Accident Is Reported On Bluff Street, Tuesday

A near serious accident occurred Tuesday on Bluff street, near Spring street, when a small boy, who was enjoying himself by sled riding in an alley, ran into the automobile of H. G. Huff of English avenue, as the latter was driving along that street. The boy's sled came out of the alley in such a way that it was impossible for Mr. Huff to void the collision.

Mr. Huff picked up the youngster, whose name he did not secure and wanted to take him to the office of a physician. The boy declined to go stating that he was not injured. Mr. Huff made a report of the accident to the police.

Slight Accident

Henry Yeager of 14 Mahoning avenue, reported that he was driving south on Liberty street and making a left hand turn onto Mahoning avenue, when the car of George H. Conners of Wampum, going west on Mahoning avenue, ran into and damaged his machine.

College Boys Take Over Y Gym Floor

Tuesday afternoon and evening, a record was made at the Y. M. C. A. on the gym floor. In the afternoon, six teams of college boys played basketball from three to five. This is the greatest number of boys home from college that ever took advantage of the gym floor during vacation. In the evening the senior class had eighty-two on the floor at once.

Horse Is Killed; Driver Escapes

T. D. Wilson, who lives south of Wampum on the New Castle-Beaver road, had a narrow escape from serious injury yesterday when a horse which he was driving was struck and killed by an automobile. Wilson was driving from his home out on the road when the accident occurred. Fortunately the buggy in which he was riding was not struck.

LATROBE'S POPCORN POKES HOLD LIQUOR AND SELLER IS HELD

LATROBE, Pa., Dec. 29.—Clifford Winfield, proprietor of a pop corn and peanut wagon which has been a familiar sight here for many years and which was located within 200 fet of city hall was held for court following a hearing before Justice of the Peace Ackerman yesterday on a charge of violating the dry law.

Winfield was doing a rushing business Christmas eve police say selling peanuts and pop corn from his wagon.

Police became suspicious and started to follow a customer who purchased a bag of pop corn. When the customer saw the officer he threw the bag into the street. Police recovered the bag and found a bottle of moonshine in it.

Realty Transfers

Tony Slavich to Michael Joseph, Bessemer, $1.

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Patrick J. Daugherty to Annetta I. Holliday, Union township, $1.

Clarence C. Browne to J. Roy Mercer, Second ward, $1.

Joseph S. Eakin to Sadie May Eakin, Shenango, $1.

Joseph Papilli to Josephine Papilli, Eighth ward $1.

Exposure gives hardiness, but the dear creatures weren't particularly weak-kneed to start with.

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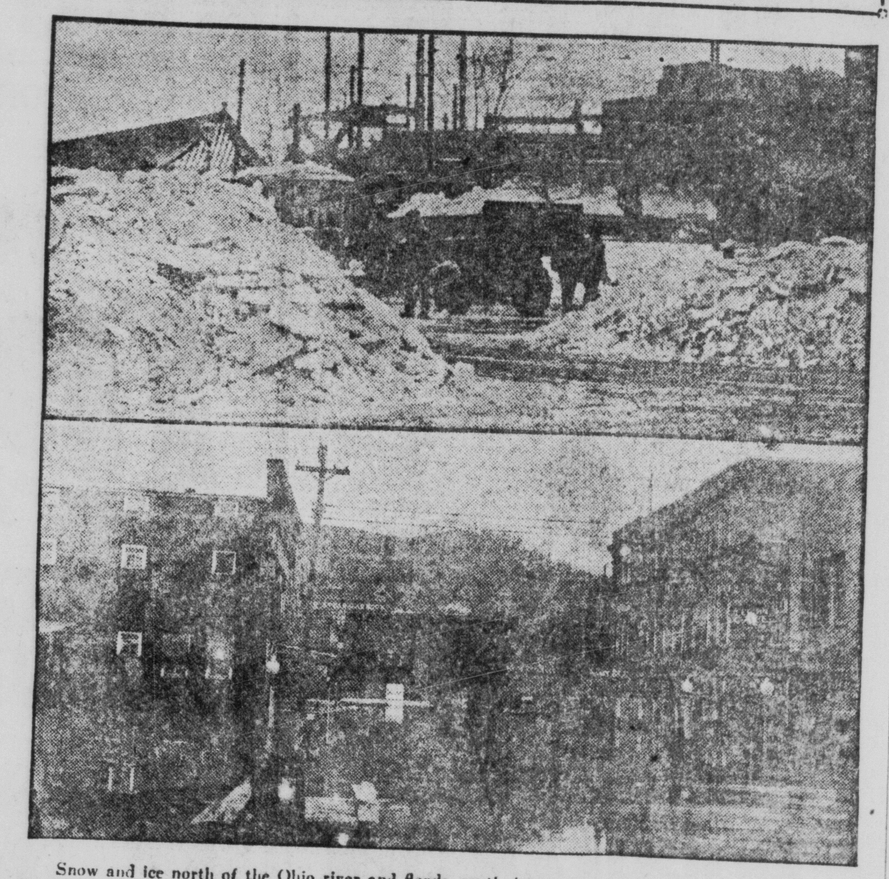
NORTH AND SOUTH SUFFER FROM STORMS



Snow and ice north of the Ohio river and floods south have caused millions of dollars worth o damage and delayed traffic. Above public square of Cleveland O. being 'dug from under" a bliz zar that came so swiftly it held street car passengers prisoners all night Below street scene i Williamson, W. Va., with the waters of Tug river running through the city hall (large building at rig'

Father and Son Married to Mother and Daughter

Father and son in Kansas City, Mo., marry mother and daughter in a double ceremony. Standing, left: Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Andrew (the "father and mother" bridal couple); right Mr. and Mrs Floyd R. Andrew (twenty and eighteen, respectively); seated, the Rev Dr. D. J. Evans, who performed the ceremony

Tug River Inundates Town as It Leaves Bank

Williamson, W. Va., was only one of several towns flooded when the Tug River overflowed its banks.

Sharon Budget For Year $508,956

Tax Millage Rate In Sharon Is Fixed At 16 Mills

SHARON, Pa., Dec. 29.—The municipal budget for 1927 totaling $508,956.65 was approved by city council Tuesday and provides for a continuance of the city tax levy for next year at 16 mills included in the appropriations is the requested salary increase of $10 a month for members of the police and fire departments.

The budget for next year is $54,907.82 larger than that of the present year and the increase is largely due to the construction of the city's new sewage disposal plant. Nineteen policemen will be affected by the increase at a cost to the city of $2,280 and 14 firemen will benefit in the abount of $1,680.

The appropriation for 1927 in each department follows.

Public affairs, $63,930; accounts and finace, $124,529.99; public safetly, $142,930.75; streets and public improvements $123,253.91; parks and public property, $54,042.

REV. LEICHLITER GIVES MESSAGE AT CITY MISSION

Two fine services were held at the City Mission Monday and Tuesday evening when the Rev. G. A. Leichliter of Buffalo, N. Y., rendered special music and delivered two very fine gospel messages. Mr. and Mrs. Leichliter returned to their home in Buffalo, today.

The usual service will be held at the mission tonight. Tomorrow evening the Bible Class study will meet at 7:30 with Mr. Frank Geiger teaching. The services of the closing of the old year and the beginning of the new year will be conducted as usual every evening

Automobile Accident Results In Suit For Damages Of $5861.14

Jacob Pizor and his wife, Suzanne Pizor, have filed a suit against George Houk for $5,861.14, damages as a result of an automobile accident on the New Castle-Ellwood road.

It is claimed by the plaintiffs that on October 17, 1926, they were driving toward New Castle when the Houk machine struck them. Mrs. Pizor was quite seriously injured as a result of the collision. It is claimed that Houk was driving around 50 miles an hour and in a reckless manner. Mrs. Pizor wants $5,000 and Mr. Pizor $861.14.

If you think politics easy, try standing on a fence while keeping one ear on the ground.

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Kiwanis Club Has Christmas Party At Children's Home

Annual Christmas party given by the New Castle Kiwanis club at the Margaret Henry Children's Home, proved to be one of the most enjoyable events held at the home during the year.

A pleasing program in charge of the children of the Home was carried out, consisting of group songs, recitations and exercises. An outstanding feature of the evening was a splendid talk by Rev. S. L. Maxwell, pastor of Epworth M. E. church who spoke on "The Three Wise Men" which was greatly enjoyed by the little folks.

One of the Kiwanians acted as Santa Claus and distributed gifts to all the boys and girls. At a previous time all of the children had been asked to name what they wanted and the rule was that it must be something useful and not toys. Warm sweaters, stockings and suits were given. Miss Margaret Henry, superintendent of the Home was also presented with an attractive gift.

Lunch was served at the close of the program in the dining room at nicely arranged tables. Attorney Thomas W. Dickey, president of the club and a trustee of the home gave an interesting detailed history of the Home which was well received.

SPECIAL SERVICES AT MORAVIA CHURCH

Rev. E. M. Burgess, dean of the Pittsburgh Bible Training School will be one of the speakers at an all day meeting in the Gospel Tabernacle of the Christian and Missionary Alliance at Moravia Stop on the Harmony line on Sunday, January 2.

The services will take place at 10:45 a. m. and 2:45 and 7:45 p. m. Rev. Burgess is a nationally known minister and well known singer.

Education must seem less wonderful to a boy whose educated dad cant's help him in the 8th grade.

Carroll Kearns Hurt In Accident In Chicago, Ill.

Carroll Kearns, a student of the Musical Conservatory at Chicago, who was badly injured in an auto accident about two weeks ago, has recovered sufficiently to be removed to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Kearns of Leasure avenue, this city.

The accident occurred in Chicago when the car in which he was riding skidded on the pavement and Mr. Kearns was thrown out. He sustained a fractured skull and broken nose.

Y. W. C. A. Notes

Italian Reserves.

The Italian Girl Reserves are having a party this evening in the Y. W. C. A. social room.

Allegheny Legislators Split On Proposed New Election Law Changes

Allegheny County Delegation Will Go To Harrisburg Un-United

Senator Leslie Attacks Proposed Election Machine Issue

By JAMES V. CARLMAN
International News Service Staff Correspondent

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 29.—The Allegheny county delegation in the state legislature will go down to Harrisburg next Monday presenting anything but a united front on the proposed changes in the state election laws, which are expected to prove one of the main issues of the session, it became apparent today.

At its caucus here last night the delegation split over the proposal of Senators James J. Coyne and Frank J. Harris that existing election laws be revised.

Senator Max G. Leslie challenged the statement of his colleagues that less than 50 per cent of eligible voters go to the polls in Allegheny county, accusing them of accepting "false statistics". He also informed the caucus that it would cost the state approximately $100,000,000 to install voting machines and that he would oppose such a move unless machines were installed in every county in the state.

With the exception of the break on election reforms, there was perfect accord in the caucus. The legislators elected Representative Joseph C. Marcus, first district, chairman by a unanimous vote. Other officers chosen were Representative James Wettach, seventh district, vice chairman, and Representative Arthur Storer, tenth district, secretary, both being elected unanimously.

Armstrong Calls Caucus

County Commissioner Joseph G. Armstrong, who also is Republican county chairman, called the caucus to order and W. L. Mellon, Republican state chairman, lauded the spirit of harmony expected to prevail in the delegation, before Senators Coyne and Harris took up the discussion of election reforms.

Senator Coyne started the ball rolling by condemning the alleged lethargy of the county voters by announcing his support of any legislative program intended to remedy the situation. Senator Harris followed Coyne and informed the caucus that he was considering several bills to improve election conditions. He concluded his remarks by appealing for the support of these bills.

Interpreting Harris' remarks as championing the voting machine, now used in several states, Senator Leslie, leader of the "strip" district in Pittsburgh, launched an attack on the machines, telling the caucus that the only benefit derived from them was the receipt of election returns "an hour or so earlier" than under the present plan.

Leslie asserted that the Allegheny county vote at times reaches 90 per cent of eligible voters, and that the normal vote was approximately 80 per cent. He alleged that Senator Coyne had been misinformed when he accepted as true the statement that only about 50 per cent of the voters cast ballots.

The discrepancy, Leslie said, was due to the fact that county assessors do not remove from their lists the names of persons who move away or die, but do add all newcomers to profit by a larger fee paid by the county commissioners for big lists.

Leslie's statement was challenged by several assessors attending the caucus, who said they were paid a flat rate of $5 a day and given a stipulated period to complete the work, whether their lists were large or small.

Other legislators saw in Leslie's stand at the caucus a notice that the veteran legislator intends to resume active participation in affairs of the state at the next session. Illness limited his activities at the last session.

Next Monday the delegation will caucus again in Harrisburg to endorse candidates for the organization of the legislature and name committees.

Shenango Pottery Indications Bright For Coming Year

Plant Operation Is Continuous — More Than 700 Now Employed.

Shenango Pottery company near West Grant street, has all indications of another year of continued prosperity in 1927, said James M. Smith president of the company today. The company just rounded out their 15th year with 12 months of continued operation with an employment roll of 745 men and women at the puresent time,

Mr. Smith said that shipments of chinaware had been made by the company to all parts of the United States and some shipments have ben made to Cuba and South America.

The Shenago Pottery company is one of the biggest concerns in the country that makes a specialty of manufacturing all kinds of chinaware for hotels and restaurants. The demand for this kind of chinaware has increased considerably during the last few years.

This has undoubtedly been fostered in part by the increase in travel on account of the steadily increasing number of automobiles.

School Directors Of Mercer County To Have Convention

(Special To The News)

MERCER, Pa., Dec. 29.—Dr. Lee L. Driver, who heads the bureau of the state board of education devoted to the consolidation of rural schools will discuss the advantages of that work at the 24th annual convention of the school directors of Mercer county carded for January 6-7 in the court house assembly room.

Dr. C. C. Crawford, head of the Edinboro State Normal; Dr. O. T. Corson of Oxford, O., former commissioner of education of the state of Ohio; Dr. C. A. Platt, member of the Grove City school board and faculty of Grove City college; Mrs. Mabel Whistler, secretary of the Mercer board; C. B. Hines, chairman of the Democratic party and a member of the Stoneboro board; J. B. Hawk of the South Pymatuning board; John Ziegler, supervisor of sanitation of the public schools of Pennsylvania, will all be on the two days' program that includes sessions at 10:30 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. January 6 and 9 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. January 7.

The music for the event is furnished by the Mercer high school orchestra. Dr. Crawford will lecture on the evening of January 6.

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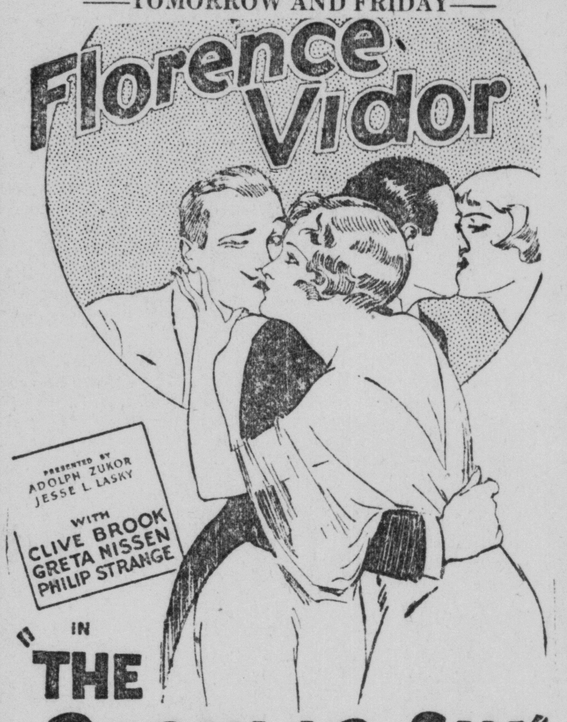

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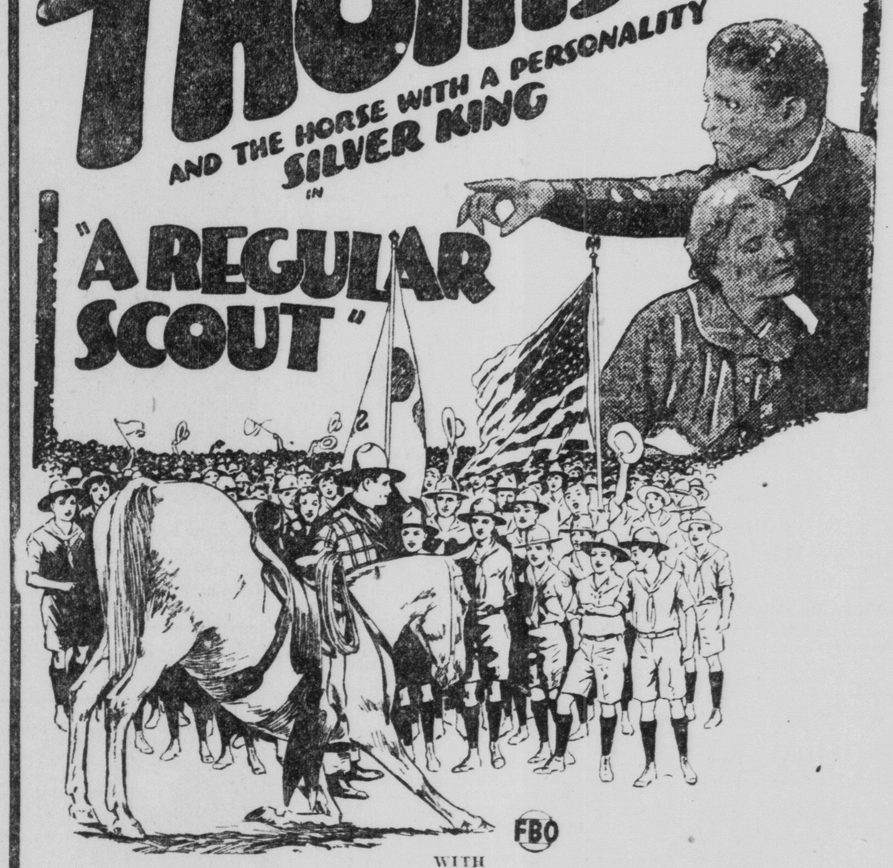

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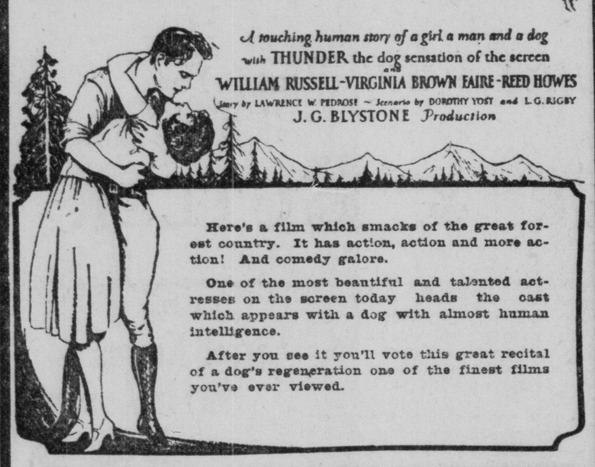

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Continue Work Of Immunizing Pupils Of Schools

(Special To The News)

MERCER, Pa., Dec. 29.—Immunization from diphtheria by the injection of serum will re-open in the public schools of Mercer county on February 1, states Dr. S. J. Dickey, county medical director, who headed an organization that treated 10,000 county school children during the school year of 1925-26.

The Mercer schools will be the first to be treated, says Dr. Dickey. The treatment includes three injections of the serum, each a week apart. The treatment is given free, the serum provided by the state and the doctors in town where the children are treated assisting Dr. Dickey to put over the program.

Mercer was all signed up for the treatment but sickness prevented the work last spring. The public school children of Greenville are also to be given the same treatment.

Children in the valley towns of Farrell, Sharon and Sharpsville and a number of country districts were given this treatment last spring.

Dr. Dickey is at present engaged in the examination of the school children at the Grove City schools. As soon as this is completed the immunization work begins. A number of rural districts are also carded for treatment at this time

RECEIVES LETTER FROM PRESIDENT

(Special To The News)

GROVE CITY, Pa., Dec. 29.—A letter thanking her for the text of her 800-word essay comparing the similarity of Lincoln and Coolidge was received here today by Miss Mary Anderson, 13-year-old daughter of Hon. and Mrs. H. L. R. Anderson from President Calvin Coolidge.

The essay was written as the result of a prize of $10 offered for the best theme on this subject to the pupils of the eighth grade in the public schools of Grove City. The offer was that of Hon. H. K. Daugherty of Grove City, who is a solicitor for the United States treasury.

There were 13 essays written, that of Miss Anderson being selected as the winner. The essay was shown to the president by Mr. Daugherty, who writes Miss Anderson as follows:

My Dear Miss Anderson:—

I have had the privilege of reading your assey entitled "Similarity Between Lincoln and Coolidge" with which you won prize offered by H. K. Daugherty of Washington to boys and girls of the eighth grade in the public schools of your town. I want you to know just how much I appreciate everything you had to say. It was a great honor to be likened to Abraham Lincoln.

Very truly yours,
CALVIN COOLIDGE.

Mr. Anderson, father of the winner, will be remembered as a member of the legislature from this county for the past two terms in the state assembly.

BAKERTON, Pa., Dec. 29.—The body of Patrick McLaughlin, 60, miner, was found last night just off the main highway near here. Coroner Annie Swabb will investigate.

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Because of the midnight show, which starts at 11:45, it will be necessary to change the time of shows for the regular performances on Friday. First show at 6:30, second at 8:30. This will allow time to prepare the house for the Midnight Show.

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Many Take Part In Programs At Volant Churches

Church Programs And Other Notes Of Interest From Volant And Vicinity

VOLANT, Dec. 29.—The Methodist Sunday school gave the following Christmas entertainment December 23:

Music—Volant orchestra.
Invocation—Rev. L. W. Miller.
Recitation—Paul Thorpe.
Recitation—Lois May Miller.
Recitation—Helen Louise Hillard.
Song—Primary children.
Recitation—Alene Watson.
Recitation—Billy Welker.
Exercise—Leon and Aida Hunt.
Recitation—LaRue Shaffer.
Recitation—Carroll Jane Cox.
Recitation—Bernice Boozle.
Song—Choir.
Exercise—The Herald Star.
Recitation—Melvin Horsman.
Recitation—Joe Bryan.
Recitation—Billy Hunt.
Song—Tresa Jane Horsman.
Recitation—Wilbur Coates.
Song—Philip Cox, Jr.
Recitation—Rachel Boozle.
Music—Choir.
Recitation—Wilma Jane Hunt.
Recitation—Chester Coates.
Exercise—Lena Welker and Madie Drake.
Recitation—Lily Bryan.
Recitation—Pearl Davis.
Recitation—Betty Boyd.
Recitation—Irene Thorpe.
Song—The Hunt girls.
Exercise — Clara Steve, Aida Hunt and Glendora Davis.
Music—Orchestra.
Pantomime—Mrs. Miller's class.
Song—Choir.
Recitation—Gertrude Boozle.
Collection.
Remarks—Rev. Miller.
Benediction.

ANNUAL TREAT

The Methodist Sunday school gave its annual treat on Sunday morning, December 26. They also presented to Charles Rudolph, superintendent, a fountain pen in appreciation of his services during the year.

The Methodist congregation presented to Rev. L. W. Miller and family a pair of woolen blankets on Thursday evening. The pastor and his wife appreciate this gift.

AT PRESBYTERIAN

The following program was presented at the Presbyterian church by the Sunday school on Friday evening:

Music—Orchestra.
Prayer—Rev. Rohrbaugh.
Recitation — Dorothy Frankenberg.
Exercise—"Christmas Time Experience."
Song—Bernice and Tersia Litzenberg.
Exercise—"Low in a Manger."
Recitation, "A Hope"—Tersia Litzenberg.
Exercise—The Basket of Good Wishes.
Song—Prayer Song.
Recitation, "Just Christmas"—Lois Frankenberg.
Music.
Exercise—Good Night.
Music.

Stereopticon pictures were shown for about an hour and were greatly admired by the audience.

VOLANT NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Simpson and daughter Betty were guests in Grove City on Christmas day.

Many people from here motored to White Chapel church on Friday evening to hear their Christmas program.

Miss Margaret Smith of New Castle is spending a few days of her vacation with Flora Thorpe.

Miss Alice Cummings of Youngstown was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Allen on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Hillard of Bessemer and Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Gardner and daughter Jane of Wilkinsburg were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McCune over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McCracken and family of Ellwood were guests of Mrs. Samantha Simpson on Christmas.

Miss Della Davenport of New Castle spent Christmas with her brother, Ray Davenport of this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sutherland and family of Conneaut, Pa., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Allen on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Smith of near Volant spent Christmas with friends in Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Wilkin entertained at a family dinner on Christmas the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. George Brown of Ellwood, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Whittaker and family of Cleveland, O.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Moose and family were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milo Moose on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Allen visited the latter's aunt, Mrs. Sarah Bruce of Plaingrove, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Cox and family were guests in Sharon on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter Johnston entertained the following guests on Christmas: Mr. and Mrs. Merry of Dover, O., Mr. and Mrs. Undercoffer of Grove City and Mr. Johnston's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Johnston returned to their home here Monday after visiting friends in New Castle.

Coolidge Sees 1927 As Year Of Prosperity

Wave Of Prosperity Will Continue Next Year Says Nation's Executive

(International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—President Coolidge sees another banner year of prosperity for the United States in 1927.

Except in certain agricultural sections and in a few industries there are no signs of depression on the economic horizon, the presidential spokesman declared today.

Opportunities for employment are increasing, notably in the east and New England, there is an abundant supply of capital and labor, the American habit of spending is aiding production—all these indicate no letdown in prosperity, he said.

It is true that certain agricultural products are not getting fair prices and cotton is off this year, but these can be remedied, the spokesman declared. He pointed out that cotton producers had enjoyed great prosperity for the three years previous to the last and he thought they would well weather the present storm.

FARMFACTS

TIMELY REMINDERS From The Pennsylvania State College

Keep Record of Farming—About this time of the year the progressive farmer sums up his past year's work and looks forward to the next season's operations. Realizing that knowledge is power, he will again keep farm accounts on his whole business. The difference between profit and loss on the farm often is determined by knowing what pays and what does not.

Fruit Prizes Attractive—A total of $1,560 will be offered in cash prizes for fruit exhibits at the state farm products show in Harrisburg next January. This special county association exhibit class, not included last year, has been provided again this year. The best exhibit in this class will win $100.

Get Fertilizer Early — During April when your garden operations begin there is a great demand for stable manure. It is often difficult to obtain manure at that time, often impossible. During January and February there is little demand for manure and in cities and towns this must be moved. Order the manure you need early, to be delivered any time and place it on a pile in the garden where it will be accessible next spring.

Thaw Out Frozen Plants—House plants which have been frozen should be thawed out gradually. Spray them with cold water and keep them away from the sunshine and intense heat until they are completely thawed.

Do Not Hatch Pullet Eggs—The use of pullet eggs for hatching is to be discouraged and the use of eggs from pullets that have been under lights during the fall and winter is much worse.

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John Coolidge Gets No Joy Being In Glare Of Spotlight

By CHARLES P. STEWART
Exclusive Central Press Dispatch to New Castle News.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Being the president's son is a hard job, with none of the fun of being president.

Among youth of his age in the capital, where he has been spending the holidays, and, from all accounts, at Amherst, young John Coolidge has a reputation as a "regular feller".

He's no prodigy. He's just a good general average. There's no swang about him. It's more than evident that he wants to be regarded as just and ordinary undergraduate. He appears to like a good time, but no more so than the common run of 18 or 20-year-olds of this day and generation.

He's known as a "good guy" to the circle he moves in. He not only puts on no airs. His friends say he's bashful and has something of an inferiority complex.

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It isn't "young John's" fault that his father's in the White House but he has to carry the burden of it.

His father has the game as well as the name. He has a tiresome role to play but he gets the emoluments. "Young John's" so much in the public eye that he has to watch his step every waking minute, without a nickel's worth of reward for it.

At his time of life, it's natural for him to want a certain amount of liberty—not license, but the privilege of going and coming more or less to suit himself, without having to give an account of it to the newspapers.

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If any other college kid had acquired an accidental shiner, for instance, in a little playful bout with the gloves in the gym, with a fellow student, who'd have thought anything about it!

When it happened to "young John" it was smeared all over the front pages.

Another stripling can make himself agreeable to a nice girl, and if anybody comments on it at all, it's only the neighbors.

In "young John's" case it's cabled to Europe.

Ten after 12 isn't so late for anybody but "young John" to get home after a party, but let "young John" keep such hours and the "presidential spokesman" is called on for explanations.

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In the first place, "young John" shrinks from publicity.

In the second place, President Coolidge shrinks from it for him, still more emphatically.

The elder Coolidge considers the limelight a bad thing for his son. He can't prevent it from being turned on him, but he can blame "young John" for being caught in it.

He doesn't want any "crown prince" talk during his term in the White House. He turns quite peevish whenever he hears any of it, and they say "young John" gets the full benefit of the presidential disapproval.

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That "young John's" lot is a hard one may be judged from the fact that Col. E. W. Sparling of the secret service, who was detailed to watch over the former at Amherst, couldn't stand it and asked to be relieved.

If the post of watcher was too much for a hardened secret service man, how much worse must the watchee have found it.

Russell C. Wood, who succeeds Sparling after vacation, is supposed to be a better selection, because he looks little older than "young John" himself but it remains to be seen how well he stands the wear and tear of the thing when he goes up against the actual experience.

Perhaps the doctors are right. It's the teeth in the Volstead law that cause all the trouble.

It is worthy of note that few statues are erected to men who had no women to boss them.

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WOMEN LEAD RAIDS ON MOONSHINE STRONGHOLDS

GREENVILLE, S. C., Dec. 29.—Crusading women have done what revenue agents found impossible in Greenville county's "Dark Corner," where the distilling of corn was an established, albeit outlawed, practice long before prohibition.

For years, the "Dark Corner" regarded the "revenooers" as mortal foes and many a bloody battle was fought, but the production of corn whiskey went on undiminished. In recent months, however, with women taking the leading part, citizens of the district have launched an attack against the moonshiners.

Numerous stills have been destroyed and some arrests by parties that included no officers of the law. Ministers have encouraged the movements.

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P. & O. President Visions Good Business During 1927

By C. S. MacCALLA
Vice President and General Manager, Penn-Ohio System.

With an exceptionally good year in commerce and industry just passing, business generally can look for a good year ahead. The present trend shows some slowing up from the peak of activity of the last few months, but the fundamental factors of business are such as to lead to the belief that this recession should be neither serious nor prolonged.

Inventories in virtually all lines are low, labor generally is well employed at good wages, the transportation and distribution facilities of the nation are excellent, and the consuming power of country is great. While spending has been increasing, there has been a corresponding increase in savings accounts, life insurance written and the purchase of conservative securities by small investors. Conditions which put money into the pockets of citizens, and at the same time lead them to save some of the excess mean safety.

Low inventories mean either orders on the books of manufacturers or "just around the corner". The consuming power of the country is so great that orders should keep flowing in steadily. Buying power which keeps commerce active must reflect itself continuously in industrial activity and this, in continued employment. The excellence of our transportation facilities helps maintain this equilibrium through the readiness with which goods may flow to the market.

No Serious Clouds.

No serious clouds appear on the political horizon. Europe is in a calmer mood, while at home we have an excellent administration with nothing of a turbulent nature in sight to disturb business.

With business slightly off the peak at present we may look for keener competition. This in itself should be healthful. Operations as a whole will be conducted more economically, more aggressiveness is developing, business will assert itself and every effort will be made to cut waste.

These conditions will be particularly beneficial in the electrical field. Industry has turned more and more to the economy of electric service to increase production and reduce costs. This trend will continue and probably will be definitely accentuated.

Plant Expanding.

As to the Penn-Ohio system, it will maintain its position to meet adequately this growing demand. Our new power plant at Toronto, with an initial capacity of 88,000 horsepower, has been in service a little more than a year. Already it has become necessary to construct the first addition. This is now building. It will house another 44,000 horsepower unit, which will be in service in 1927.

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Cool Spring

Misses Margaret C. Ewing, Mildred A. McCullough, Fiorence I. Mowry and Emma M. Barner, students at the Fredonia vocational school, are spending the holidays at their homes here.

Arnold Kloos left last week to attend an electrical school in Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. Mont McCullough, who has been seriously ill, is slowly recovering.

Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White were Mr. and Mrs. William Nord and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. White and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Lenhart and family of Youngstown, O., Mrs. R. J. White and family of Mahoningtown and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Klingensmith and family of Cochranton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Cornell of Sharpsville, Miss Hazel McCullough of Greenville and Miss Mildred McCullough of Fredonia spent Christmas at their home.

Miss Mildred McCullough, Miss Margaret Jennings, Merwin Carpenter and Harold Smith attended a party at the home of Miss Pauline Barr, Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McKenna and family were Greenville callers Friday.

Funeral services for Jack Zahniser, who died December 25, were conducted from the family home on December 27.

Miss Margaret Shannon, had a box social at her school Wednesday evening followed by a program.

Miss Mabel Turner and Charles Barner were quietly married at the home of the bride Christmas day. They will reside in Grove City. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Barner and family, Mr. and Mrs. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Condit and Mrs. Ralph Coulter and family of Grove City.

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Agriculture Week For State Farmers

Will Be Observed At Harrisburg On January 18-21 Says Secretary Of Agriculture

Agriculture week will be observed in Harrisburg on January 18-21 when 28 farm organizations meetings, educational exhibits, farm products displays and livestock shows and sales will cover a phase of farm life and will be of interest to both city folk and farmers, says the secretary of agriculture, F. P. Willits.

Thousands of farmers and other interested persons will soon receive the printed program which consists of a 28-page booklet which gives the schedule of all meetings, location of exhibits and other events of interest during agriculture week.

The opening mass meeting will be held Tuesday evening, January 18, in the Chestnut street auditorium. The principal speakers will be Governor-elect John S. Fisher and President-elect Ralph D. Hetzel of Pennsylvania State college.

Among the interesting exhibits will be that of 200 head of baby beeves exhibit by members of the boys' and girls' baby beeves clubs of the state. The boys' and girls' clubs also will have an exhibit of 150 fat lambs.

A vocational exhibit will feature certain phases of vocational education in the rural schools.

RADIO PROGRAMS

Thursday, Dec. 30
WGY (Schenectady, N. Y.)
379.5 Meters

6:30 p. m.—Dinner music.
7:30 p. m.—WGY book chat.
7:45 p. m.—"In the Southland with the Radio Four."
8:15 p. m.—Lecture recital, "Getting Acquainted with Modern Music."
9:00 p. m.—Royal Hour.
10 p. m.—Program.

WCAE (Pittsburgh)
461 Meters

7:40 p. m.—"Uncle Kay-Bee."
7:50 p. m.—Book review.
8:10 p. m.—Piano recital.
8:30 p. m.—Crystal Gazers.
9:00 p. m.—Clicquot Eskimos.
10 p. m.—Goodrich Zippers.
11 p. m.—Program.
12:30 a. m.—Goodnight.

KDKA (East Pittsburgh, Pa.)
309 Meters. Eastern Standard Time

7:20 p. m.—Farm program.
8:00 p. m.—Wonder box.
8:30 p. m.—Radiotale—"New Years Bells."
9:00 p. m.—Concert.
9:55 p. m.—Time signals and weather forecast.
11 p. m.—Dance program.

KYW (Chicago)
536 Meters—Central Standard Time

7:00 p. m.—"Family hour."
8:00 p. m.—"Twenty Minutes of Good Reading."
8:20 to 9:00 p. m.—Musical program.
10 to 10:30 p. m.—Classical concert.
10:30 to 12 p. m.—Congress carnival.
12 p. m.—Time signals and weather report.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Rare and antique laces taken from old handkerchiefs, wedding gowns and veils, collars and cuffs and other heirlooms compose an unusual altar cloth dedicated today at the cathedral of St. John the Divine by Bishop Manning.

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Old Fashioned Winters Only Seemed Different

We have all heard the "oldest inhabitants" discussing the "old fashioned winters" we use to have, and we have wondered why it is that the weather has become so much warmer in recent years. George H. Bliss, the meteorologist, in an address before the Engineers' Club at a meeting in Philadelphia, cited some facts which may cause temporary dismay among the groups that gather at the cross-roads grocery or filling station to discuss the weather.

Mr. Bliss says: "The truth is that Pennsylvania has enjoyed average winters for more than a century. Only for three seasons, 1855-56, 1874-75 and 1917-18, did we have what is termed 'an old fashioned winter. Those are facts, not remembered fancies."

Yet, we need not doubt the sincerity of these "old timers." It is a question of psychology rather than veracity. These "old timers" recall their boyhood days when their legs were much shorter than now. Thus the drifts they waded through at the age of ten would seem much deeper now—especially if they had to shovel a path to the barn. Those days of coasting which were filled with so much fun and frolic that they appear now to have lasted all winter, for several months. The wind seemed stronger and colder because they had to be wrapped in a buffalo robe as they traveled to town in an old bobsled, while now they travel it in a sedan with as much comfort as if they were sitting over the register at home.

These illusions which we remember from our youth do not only apply to recollections of weather. We all remember the hill back of the house seemed like a mountain, and the road to the corner seemed like a mile to our little feet, and are surprised when we return to our boyhood home to find the mountain but a mole-hill and the mile-long road a few steps.

Jackson Center

Emmett Evans, a student of Shaw high school, of East Cleveland, O., is spending the holiday vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Evans.

Mrs. Margaret McConnell gave a Christmas dinner to a number of her relatives. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. George McConnell and family of Cleveland, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McConnell and son, Leonard, of this place, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Fowler of this place, and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Osborne, of Ellwood City, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. Parker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rawson of Swissvale, Pa., visited their parents on Christmas Day.

Mrs. John Elliott and grandchildren visited friends in Mahoningtown and New Castle on Christmas.

Lavenia Elder, visited her brother in Liberty Township, a few daws during the Christmas vacation.

Allen Jones, a student at Mercer high school, who has been showing a good brand of basketball in the class games has been asked by Coach Stanley Patterson to practice with the varsity team.

W. W. Wharton is spending the Christmas holidays with his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Burdell Wharton and family.

Miss Vera Huey, who teaches in Beaver Falls, is spending the holidays at her home here.

Mrs. Levi Reeher of New Castle, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Zahniser recently.

Sunday visitors at Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Fowler's were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hunter and son, Paul, of Grove City; two Misses Hunter, of Rocky Grove; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Minner and family, of near Mercer; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Houston and family, of Mercer, and Mr. and Mrs. Ansley Fowler and family of New Castle.

Jim McCurdy was a business caller in New Castle Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Wilt, of Greenville visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Evans, on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Smale of Cleveland, Ohio, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Infield on Christmas.

Sir Jagadis Chandra Bose the eminent Hindu scientist is convinced that plants are so near animals in their constitutional activities that they can be used instead of animals in all sorts of biological experiments, thereby removing any excuse for the practice of vivisection in any form.

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Enormous Federal Building Program About To Start

By GEORGE H. MANNING
(Washington Correspondent of the News.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 29.—The greatest program for constructing public buildings ever undertaken in this country is about to be launched by the federal government.

Virtually every city in the country will get a share in the program in the form of a new or enlarged postoffice or a building to house the federal court, revenue office, veterans bureau branch or other agency of the federal government.

Not since 1914, when the European war sent building prices skyrocketing, have any federal buildings been built, and now there is scarcely a postoffice or federal agency in the country which is adequately housed. The greatly increased use of the mails in advertising, in business and personal correspondence and in magazine circulation, the advent of parcel post, postal savings and air mail, and the natural growth in the population of the country have crowded every postoffice building far beyond its capacity.

Fund is Ready.

But now plans to take care of this situation are rapidly being completed. A huge surplus is piling up in the treasury which congress has refused to turn back to the taxpayers, and many members of congress believe that the best possible use that could be made of this money is in constructing new federal buildings.

A start already has been made, a vigorous start and one which is laying the groundwork for a program which will be felt in every city in the United States.

Within a very few days the postmaster general and the supervising architect of the treasury department will lay before congress details of a plan to build new or enlarged postoffice buildings in some 2,000 cities throughout the country. This list has not been made up by congressmen seeking slices of "pork" for their constituents, but is the result of a careful, scientific survey by unbiased postoffice and treasury officials. Every postoffice in the country having annual receipts of more than $20,000 was visited this summer by a committee from the treasury and postoffice departments and its findings are now being tabulated.

Show Urgency.

Each department made its own list of cities, arranging them in the order of the urgency of their federal building needs with the idea of taking them up in order when the awarding of contracts begins. The treasury's architects worked out a formula whereby the ratio of urgency of building needs is shown mathematically by computing such factors as population, postal receipts, present floor space, number of carriers and clerks, availability of site, rent on leased quarters, etc. The postoffice inspectors made their list independently and rated the cities according to personal observation, postal experience, complaints of postmasters and patrons and general knowledge. These two lists are now being compared, and in nearly every case they agree as to which buildings in each state should be taken up first.

In addition to showing the degree of need for increased quarters for federal activities in each city, the list will show the amount of money required to build a new building or enlarge the old federal building in each of the 2,000 cities surveyed. Along side of this will be shown—in much less space—the amount of money now available for this work. This is where the rub comes, but there is every reason to believe that congress will double and treble the appropriations within the next year or two, and with the full approval of the administration.

Deadlock Broken.

When congress passed the Elliott-Fernald public buildings act last May it broke the deadlock which has prevented the construction of any government buildings whatever and opened the way for the biggest, the most scientific and the most useful building program ever undertaken. Previous public building bills had made specific appropriations for postoffice buildings. Most of them were needed more or less, but some were mere political prizes. That was before the words economy and efficiency were made a part of the political vocabulary. Today such a bill would have to include at least one building in every congressional district in order to pass, and its volume would break the treasury and swamp the supervising architect's office.

The Elliott act authorized $165,000,000 for public buildings. Of this total $50,000,000 is to be spent in the District of Columbia and $15,000,000 on buildings previously authorized but where the existing appropriation is inadequate to care for the present needs. This leaves $100,000,000 to be spent on new postoffices, and the act provides that the postmaster general and the supervising architect of the treasury department shall submit every year a schedule of the work to be done the following year and appropriations for this program will then be made in the regular appropriation bills.

However, there is a further provision that only $25,000,000 shall be spent each year. It was undoubtedly the intention of congress that this was to apply to the general fund of $100,000,000, making it a four-year program. The comptroller general of the treasury, however, recently ruled that under the wording of the act this means that only $25,000,000 out of all three items may be spent each year, and as plans have already been made to spend $10,000,000 a year for five years in the District of Columbia and another $5,000,000 a year for three years on old projects, there is but $10,000,000 a year available for new postoffices, instead of $25,000,000.

The inadequacy of this sum will be apparent as soon as the list of estimates is announced by the supervising architect. It has already been foreseen by those close to the situation, and Representative Dan Reed of Dunkirk, N. Y., a member of the house commitete on public buildings and grounds has introduced a bill to amend the Elliott act by increasing the general $100,000,000 fund to $200,000,000 and providing that $35,000,000 instead of $25,000,000 of the total may be spent in a single year.

This bill has neither committee nor administration approval as yet, but there is every reason to believe that it will be enacted and that even more money will be appropriated for federal buildings in the next few years. This system of constructing public buildings is growing more and more in the public favor as doing away with the evils of the old "pork barrel" omnibus buildings bills and substituting a business-like building program. Many members of both house and senate have declared that to invest the treasury surplus in public buildings would be the best investment and would be best received by the taxpayers of all the possible uses suggested.

(Cyprright, 1926, General Press Association.)

Jealousy is compounded of selfishness, egotism and vanity. It is a pitifully small nature that cannot bear to hear another praised.

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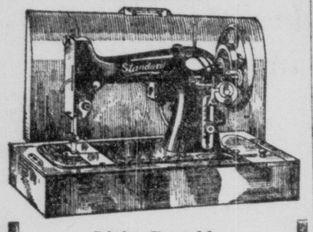
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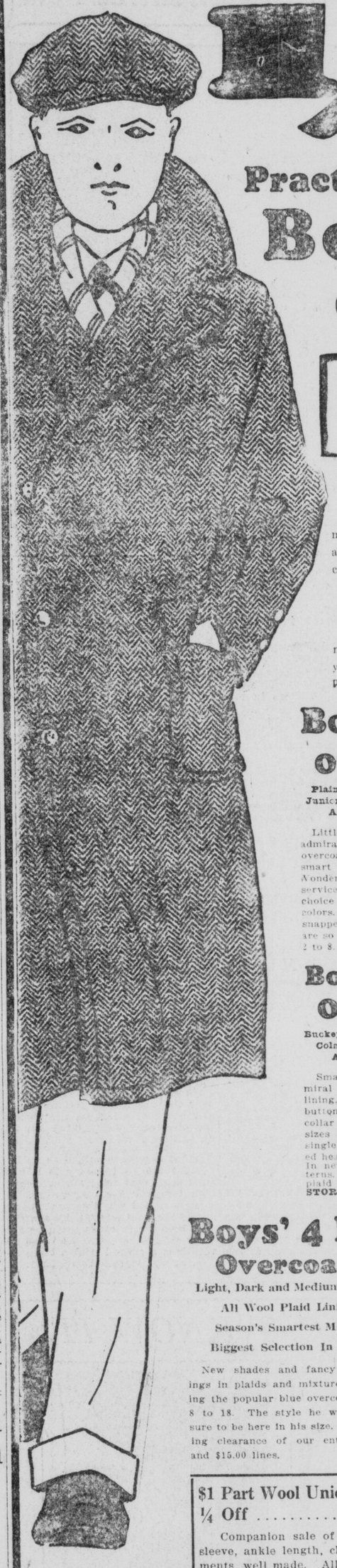

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Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Harry entertained the following relatives at a Christmas dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lutton and children of New Castle, Wess Johnston and Dale and Charles McKean of Indian Run and Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Johnston of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clark entertained the following children and families at a Christmas dinner: Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clark and children of Sharon, Mrs. Fern Simpson and sons of Masury, Mrs. Mary Wortman of Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Harry and children of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ginkenger and family spent Sunday with the former's mother Mrs. Caroline Genkinger of New Castle.

Mrs. Cornelia Cover was called to Youngstown Sunday by the illness of her uncle John Duff who was quite badly hurt in an automobile accident Christmas night. Mr. Duff is 84 years old.

Mrs. Nancy Mars who was quite badly hurt when she fell off her porch is in a very serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dagan and son Alfred and John Dagan, Dorothy and David spent Christmas with their mother at Church Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wortman of Youngstown visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clark Sunday.

Frank Moorehouse was a Christmas dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Shields.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shields entertained at a Christmas dinner the folowig people: Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Lowry of Youngstown, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson McCluskey and Earl McCluskey, Mrs. Mary Lowry and Richard Shields of this place.

Miss Irene Steibner and Edward, Richard and Robert Hostetter are spending the Christmas week with relatives at Pittsburgh.

Mable Harry is pending a few days with her cousin Frances Clark of Sharon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Cover and daughter Margaret and Fred Hilton, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cover and A. J. Taylor of Mahoning were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bentley of Stony Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Konkle and children of Wickliff called on John Dagan and family.

The Willing Workers class of the M. E. Sunday school held a party at the home of their teacher Miss Fay Wilcox on Tuesday evening. The house was decorated with the usual Christmas decorations. After games and an exchange of presents lunch was served by Miss Fay assisted by Miss Julia McClenahan.

The Presbyterian Sunday school gave a very pleasing entertainment and treat on Christmas night.

Miss Helen McClenahan is on the sick list.

Mrs. Frank Smith and children Josephine and Glendon of Grove City spent Christmas with Mrs. Cly Swogger and mother.

Newton Morrow of Punxsutawney visited his uncle Dr. McGiffen over Christmas.

Mrs. Stella Wilcox and daughter Fay spent the week end with Mrs. John Greggs of Youngstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Underwood are spending their vacation in Parker City, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Moorhouse and family spent Christmas with Mrs. E. A. Smathers of Evans City.

Mrs. Effie Shields was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Moore of Youngstown Saturday.

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RELATIVES BENEFIT LARGELY IN WILLS OF EXPERT TRAPSHOTS

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 29.—Annie Oakley, internationally famous markswoman, and Frank E. Butler, her husband, both of whom died within 18 days of each other last month left upward of $500,000 to relatives and charitable institutions. The couple formerly lived here.

Mrs. Butler's will provided for bequests ranging from $1,000 to $3,000 to 26 relatives. The residuary estate went to her husband, who survived her for 18 days. He gave from $1,000 to $5,000 to each of eight immediate relatives and the residue of his wife's estate to her brother, sister and half-sister, to be divided equally. The residue of Butler's estate went to three nieces of his wife.

It is a mistake, however, to assume that Europe has a monopoly on people who know how to dodge a debt.

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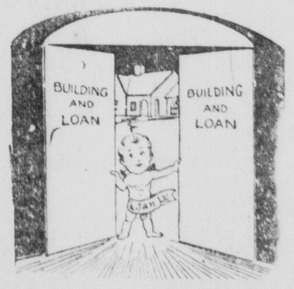

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ELLWOOD CITY

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Claire Smith Is Hostess To Club

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 29.—Miss Claire Smith cleverly entertained the members of the Modern Bridge Club at a Christmas party at her home on Wayne avenue last evening.

The members exchanged gifts, and gifts predominated all over the place, as the guests found individual stockings filled with candy hanging about the mantle. Christmas decorations were the central note in table decorations and favors.

Bridge was the diversion of the evening with score honors going to Miss Agnes Weiscoph, Miss Mary Sakraida and Miss Margarie Cunningham of Beaver Falls. Miss Cunningham being a special guest.

The evening's festivities concluded with the serving of dainty refreshments by the hostess who had as her aid, Mrs. Oscar Dahl. The members of the club will be the guest of Miss Mary Elizabeth Turner on Glenn avenue, January 11.

Members of the club are: Misses Helen Zeigler, Tess Miller, Velma Aiken, Mary Elizabeth Turner, Claire Smith, Helen Leibendorfer, Agnes Weiscoph and Ann Rosenkeimer and Mary Sakraida of Beaver Falls.

Charity Ball Is Huge Success

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 29.—Approximately 100 couples attended the charity ball given last night in the Shelby auditorium by the members of the Hebrew Ladies Social Club.

The hall presented a winter scene of branches covered with snow, through which peeped glowing lanterns lending the right touch of color to the ensemble.

Music was furnished ably by a bevy of College Imps from Pittsburgh. Light refreshments were furnished by the committee. The exact amount of the proceeds will be announced at a later date.

Committee of affairs comprised: Mrs. Harry Caplan, chairman; Mrs. Ben Balter and Mrs. Bathan Feldman.

Glee Club Men Enjoy Party

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 29.—The members of the Wooster Glee Club and friends were entertained last night at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. M. Stevenson by the Misses Letitia and Grace Brown, Helen Jackson and Jean Graham, all local students of Wooster here for the holidays.

About fifty enjoyed the event which included games, and several readings by Miss Virginia Kerr. The party concluded with a light lunch served by the hostesses, assisted by Mrs. Stevenson. The members of the Glee Club leave today for Mt. Jackson where they will continue their program.

Miss Caplan Is Honor Guest

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 29.—In honor of Miss Sara Caplan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Caplan of Fourth street, several members of the Hebrew Ladies' Social club entertained at a 1 o'clock luncheon at McCreery's today. Decorations were carried out in bright holiday colors, and the party attended a matinee this afternoon.

Among those enjoying the event were Mesdames Ed Keller, Jack Braden, Harry Caplan, Nathan Feldman, Max Balitan, J. Shenson and N. Shapiro of Wampum.

Lady Macabees To Elect Officers

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 29.—At a regular semi-monthly meeting of the Lady Maccabees in the Luxenburg hall last night, it was decided to elect officers for the coming year at the next meeting which will occur January 11.

Concluding the regular routine business, the meeting adjourned.

CLASS WILL HAVE TUREEN DINNER

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 29.—The members of the A. C. Martin class of the First Presbyterian church will assemble in the church at 6 o'clock for a tureen dinner. Following the dinner the members will have their regular monthly business meeting.

MRS. BAKER TO ENTERTAIN CLUB

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Baker will entertain members of the E. C. P. U. club Wednesday evening at their home on Fourth street. Bridge will be the form of entertainment.

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New Officers At Lutheran Church

ELLWOOD CITY, Pa., Dec. 29.—At the meeting of the Sunday school of the Trinity Lutheran church on Sunday the following officers were elected to control the destinies of the Sunday school activities for the coming year: A. J. Dambach, Supt., A. S. Dambach, assistant superintendent; Miss Elienn Dahl, secretary; Lawrence Flinner, assistant secretary; A. C. Hollerman, treasurer and Howard Blank, superintendent of supplies. These officials will assume their respective duties Sunday morning, January 2.

Miss Mildred Wilson Entertains Friends

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 29.—Miss Mildred Wilson entertained a number of her friends during the holiday season at her home in Ewing Park last night. The reporter would like to print the party as it was written up by one of the 12 year old guests who aspires to be a future literary writer of note:

"The girls at the party were Miss Babe Offutt, Miss Mary Jane Thompson, Miss Phyllis Thomas and Miss Barbara Von Krogh and the hostess was Miss Mildred Wilson. The eats were served by all, and we all enjoyed the games and social chat. At 11 o'clock we all ascended to our homes to rest, and wish all a happy New Year."

Christmas Party Enjoyed Last Night

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 29.—The members of Class No. 2 of the Bell Memorial church enjoyed a Christmas party which took place last night at the home of Mrs. James Reed on First avenue. Seventeen members were present and exchanged dainty gifts. A brief business meeting was conducted at which time the members voted to give remaining funds in the treasury to the building fund.

The evening hours passed in a social manner, concluding with a delicious lunch, served by the committee of arrangements comprising Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Howard White and Mrs. Frank Gillespie.

Park Gate Woman Dies In Hospital

ELLWOOD CITY, De. 29.—Sara Murray, aged 69, died yesterday in the St. Frances Hospital in Pittsburgh, after a protracted illness. She is survived by her husband, A. H. Murray and one child. Funeral services will be conducted Thursday afternoon at 2:30 from the home of the deceased's sister, Mrs. Harry Keller of Franklin avenue. Interment will be made in the Locust Grove cemetery.

GRANT-MURRAY WEDDING EVENT

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 29—Coming as a surprise to friends here is the announcement of the marriage of Miss Ruth Murray of Wheeling, West Virginia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Murray to Ralph Grant of Zelienople, son of Mrs. Jeanette Grant.

The ceremony was performed Christmas morning in the Grace Reformed church of Harmony with the Rev. Leidy officiating. Attendants were Mr. and Mrs. William Mattocks, sister and brother-in-law of the groom.

Following a honeymoon, part of which will be spent with Mr. and Mrs. Murray in Wheeling, the young couple will reside in a furnished apartment on Lawrence avenue. Mrs. Grant has visited in Ellwood City before and has many friends who wish her happiness.

COUPLE MARRIED BY ELLWOOD PASTOR

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 29.—William Bonzo of this city married Miss Elizabeth Dietrick of Burnstown Christmas morning with Rev. L. J. Baker of the Trinity Lutheran church officiating.

The ceremony took place in the auditorium of the church, the ring ceremony being used. Following their honeymoon, they will reside for the present in Burnstown. The couple is well known, and their hosts of friends wish them happiness.

CARD CLUB WILL MEET TONIGHT

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 29.—The members of the Ewing Park Card club will be guests this evening of Mrs. Carl Murphy of Ewing Park. Bridge will be the evening's diversion.

Card of Thanks

We desire to express our sincere thanks to all those who were so kind in sending floral tributes, donating cars and mill quartet for music and other expressions of sympathy during illness and death of our beloved husband and Brother, Norman Gillespie.

Mrs. Emma Gillespie,
Brothers and Sisters.

Local 1t.

Terrific Force of Collision Telescopes Steel Cars

So terrific was the force of the crash of "The Ponce de Leon," northbound train from Florida with the stationary southbound "Royal Palm" at Rockmart, Ga., some of its solid steel cars telescoped for a large part of their length, killing and injuring passengers. View of wreck.

Mrs. Hainer Is Hostess To Club

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 29.—Mrs. Katherine Hainer proved a delightful hostess when she entertained members of the Original Bridge club Monday at her home on Fourth street at a 1 o'clock luncheon. The hostess served an elaborate menu with Venetian glass table decorations and poinsettias making a seasonal background for the delicious delicacies. Assisting was Mrs. W. R. Johnston.

The afternoon hours passed pleasantly in a series of bridge games with high score favors going to Mrs. W. R. Johnston and Mrs. H. E. Helling.

Special guests were Mrs. Joseph Thompson of Hammond, Ind.; Mrs. F. M. Fish of Pittsburgh and Mrs. W. W. Seidel.

TRUSTEES OF CHURCH TO MEET TONIGHT

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 29.—Members of the Session of the First Presbyterian church and the board of trustees will convene this evening for a regular monthly meeting.

SUFFERS BROKEN LEG.

ROSE POINT, Pa., Dec. 29.—Mrs. Frank Fisher suffered a broken leg at her home near Rose Point on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Fisher had returned from a trip to New Castle, and when entering the yard near her home, she slipped on the ice causing the right leg to be broken in two places. She was taken to the Shenango Valley hospital, where she is resting as easily as can be expected.

ELLWOOD CITY PERSONALS

Dr. Anna Bradley McKinley of Fourth street was a visitor in New Castle today.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bowater and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harris of Wayne avenue were Pittsburgh visitors last evening where they attended a showing of Earl Carroll's Vanities.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. King of First avenue spent yesterday in Pittsburgh.

I. Kramer of Pittsburgh visited friend here yesterday.

Miss Anna Rosenkeimer and Miss Mary Sakraida of Beaver Falls were social visitors in town last evening.

Mrs. F. M. Fish of Pittsburgh concluded a visit with Mrs. Lillian Thomas of Glenn avenue, returning to her home today.

Miss Esther Texter attended the Southern ball at the Schenley hotel in Pittsburgh last evening.

T. C. Foley of Franklin avenue has been confined to his room since Saturday by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gibson of Pittsburgh are house guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Levere in Ewing Park.

PREPARATORY SERVICE IN LOCAL CHURCH

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 29. — A spiritual preparation for the communion service to be observed Sunday morning in the Presbyterian church, will take place Friday night in the church. This service will be conducted by Rev. A. M. Stevenson and all members of the congregation are invited.

WHAT THEATRE?

ELLWOOD CITY, Pa., Dec. 29.—Where shall I go tonight? Majestic Theatre—Dorothy Mackail in "Just Another Blond."—Adv.

HOSPITAL NOTES

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 29.—Admitted yesterday were Mrs. Frank Hollerman of Zelienople and Miss Mary Saunders of Pershing street.

AUTO KILLS BOY COASTER

FLUSHING, O., Dec. 29.—George Gordon, 12 years old, was instantly killed when a sled on which he was coasting ran under the wheels of an automobile driven by George Lining.

Jackson Heads Beechview Loan Association Probe

Two Officials Of Loan Association Are Put Under Heavy Bond

(International News Service)

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 29.—Special Deputy Banking Commissioner Frank W. Jackson, representing the state secretary of banking today was in charge of the Beechview Building and Loan association and C. F. Meeder former counsel and director of the association, together with his brother Elmer Meeder were at liberty on aggregate bonds of $9,500 on charges growing out of allegtions of state banking officials that the associations finances are in "critical" condition.

C. F. Meeder was placed under $10,000 bail on an indicement charging embezlement last spring when a first investigation was made and together with his brother who served as secretary and director of the institution now faces additional charges of conspiracy.

The Meeders were asked to resign when first hint was made that the affairs of the association were tangled and a re-organized board of directors attempted to stabilize the company's affairs. Action of the state banking department in taking over the association follows several months of effort on the part of the directors to straighten out the association's affairs.

What engineers regard as an important aid to industry is a new steel alloy that resists extremely high temperatures. According to reports it will work without injury at red-hot heat so that the shaft of a turbine for instance could be run at a rate of as much as 1,000 revolutions a second with a temperature of 90 degrees Centigrade.

BUT SHE DOESN'T KNOW IT

OUR friend "Jiggs" has just learned that associated producers of American comedies and humor have designated January as "National Laugh Month" but—to paraphrase "Father"—does the Comic Art Queen of the Rolling Pin know it? And if she does—will the majestic "Maggie" remember and observe it?

"NATIONAL LAUGH MONTH"

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If you are not already familiar with the comics and other humorous features in this newspaper, turn to them today. You'll soon appreciate why every month is "Laugh Month" for "Bringing Up Father" and our other select comic elements.

Incidentally, "Laugh Months" with "Jiggs" and "Maggie" are international, for those famous characters are as familiar in certain quarters of South America, Cuba, Europe and the Orient as they are to our own readers.

"Laugh and Grow Fit" is the slogan or "National Laugh Month"

Laugh and Grow Fit every day by following the fun elements in

The New Castle News

PETERS ADVENTURES IN ANIMAL LAND

By Florence Smith Vincent

THE LITTLE DOG LAUGHED

"What a night! oh what a night!" gasped the little Dog when he could catch his breath for laughing. "I shall go mad like the rest of the world if such doings keep up much longer. Can I be seeing things as they are, I wonder? Sleepy Puss, lazy Puss, Puss who stirs not from the sun-warmed doorstep and by night sleeps on a soft pillow by the cosey hearth! Mistress Puss, is it really you footing it so lively?"

"It is I indeed, Snoozer, and though it is none of your business, I'll tell you that I'm no lighter on my feet than with my paw and for your rudeness I'll repay you!" Before Peter could guess what she was up to Puss-Cat whirled and aimed a smart blow at the little Dog. But the little Dog was on to her tricks and dodged just in time to escape it, and, would you believe it, slap went Puss-Cat's paw right against poor Peter.

"Oh, I'm so sorry!" cried the Cat, and would have dropped down to the ground at once only she couldn't get her claw out of Peter's coat and he had to help her. And at this the little Dog laughed harder than ever. Then Fiddle squeaked:—

"Oh, Puss dear, you've lost your temper again. Poor Two-Legs, what a pity!"

And the Dish and the Spoon stopped playing leap-frog and tried to help the Cat and the Dog to unhook themselves, and only got themselves lashed by Cat's tail for their pains.

At last Puss-Cat did work her paw free and turned to face the little Dog in no pleasant mind.

"I've half a mind to spit in your face!" growled she. The little Dog shook his head good-humoredly.

"It wouldn't be the first time!" chuckled he. "But I wouldn't—not now! It wouldn't be a friendly thing to do when I've come so far to warn you!"

Puss-Cat started, looked nervously about her, tried to pierce the shadows of the thicket, moistened her lips.

"Warn me! Against whom, pray? Is that awful Bull-Dog out tonight or have you caught scent of a Fox, perhaps, or crossed the trail of a Snake. Tell me, Snoozer, quickly, whom have I to fear?"

Next:—"Three Blind Mice."

DINNER STORIES

Six-year old Dora returned unusually early from school the other day. She rang the door bell. There was no answer. She rang again, a little longer. Still there was no response. A third time she pressed the button, long and hard. Nobody came to the door, and she pressed her nose against the window pane and in a shrill voice, which caught the ears of every neighbor, called:

"It's all right mamma, I'm not the installment man."

Two small girls were out playing when the doctor, who happened to be passing, stopped and inquired how they were.

"I don't think we had better tell you," said of them.

"Yhy not?" he asked.

"Well," she replied, "Daddy told us that when you called the other week and asked how we were it cost him $3.

The elderly country dictor whose practice had fallen off considerably sat in his office reading when his henchman appeared.

"Them boys is a-stealing your green apples again, sir," he reported. "Shall I drive them away?"

The doctor considered a moment and then leveling his eye at his servant, replied, "No."

A prominent California banker while talking to a friend the other day about one of his many angling expeditions told the following

"It is remarkable," he said, "how mean some people are. On my last fishing trip I had with me two chaps from Los Angeles who evidently were familiar with my reputation for landing fish. Before starting one of them made the suggestion that the first one who caught a fish must treat the crowd.

"I agreed to this, and we started. Now, don't you know, both those fellows had a bite right off the reel, but they were both too mean to pull up."

"I suppose you lost, then," remarked the friend.

"Oh, no," replied the banker. "I didn't have any bait on my hook."

SOLUTIONS

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

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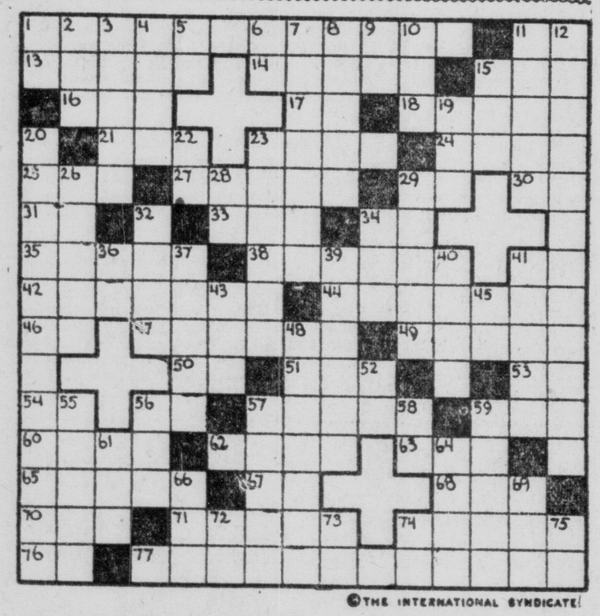
CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



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HORIZONTAL

1–Discordant
11–Musical note
13–Foolishness
14–A number
15–Vase
16–Delve into
17–Egyptian god
18–Upper room in a house
21–Angry
23–Repetition of words
24–Back
25–Grab
27–Girl's name
29–Musical note
30–Long island (abbr.)
31–Steamship (abbr.)
33–French for Madame (abbr.)
34–Prefix meaning "from"
35–Commonplace
38–Little islands
41–Jumbled type
42–Continued stories
44–Pertaining to Africa
45–Postscript (abbr.)
47–Smart on raiment
49–Poetic name of Edinburgh
50–Leave
51–Adult males
53–And (Fr.)

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

54–Church (abbr.)
56–Pronoun
57–Girl's name
59–Compass point (abbr.)
60–Small particle
62–Specks
63–Came together
65–Bay window
67–Pronoun
68–Ignited
70–Employ
71–Be in accord
74–Girl's name
76–Compass point (abbr.)
77–Destroyed

VERTICAL

1–Provided
2–Bow
3–Scale
4–Girl's name (Russian)
5–Possessive pronoun
6–Near
7–Chairs of state
8–Angry
9–Exist
10–Meadow
11–Test
12–Charged with a crime
15–An Indian
19–Prefix meaning "three"

VERTICAL (Cont.)

20–Having no inkling
22–Prefix. Two
23–Dilatory
26–Beast of burden (pl.)
28–A paper measure (abbr.)
29–Measure
32–Young girl
34–Definition (abbr.)
36–Home of Abraham
37–Great
39–Strata
40–Bounding line
41–Squares of glass
43–A constellation
45–101 (Rom. num.)
48–Slight superficial knowledge
52–Nickel (abbr.)
55–Beast of burden
56–Girl's name
57–A fabric
58–Exist
59–Long-legged shore-bird
61–Blind
64–Girl's name
66–Loose
69–Little mound (golf)
72–Great (abbr.)
73–Printer's measure
74–Half an em
75–No date (abbr.)

Here Are Best and Leading Comic Features of the Day

THE GUMPS—HO! HO! HA! HA! BIM, TOO!

CARTOON FOLLIES OF 1926

BY RUBE GOLDBERG

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THE BATTLING BROWNS

LUKE AND HIS UKE

PHONEY BOLONIES

DUMB DORA

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LIQUID DIET

BY BILLY DE BECK

BOXING BOARD FORCES ROSENBURG ISSUE TODAY

Champ Required To Make Weight

Charley Phil Rosenberg Forced To Post $2,500 Forfeit Today

MEETS GRAHAM ON JANUARY 4

BY DAVIS J. WALSH
Sports Editor International News Service

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Shylock and his poignant pound of flesh will be back on Broadway for a single showing some time before 4 o'clock this afternoon. It will not be a charity performance but the New York state athletic commission, in a spirit of generosity, has signified its willingness to furnish prompters, stage directors, scales and all other "proper" of the act, with one exception. It will firmly decline to furnish the pound of flesh.

That and at least five more, or their equivalent, will be supplied with pardonable reluctance by Charley Phil Rosenberg, who may or may not be the bantamweight champion of the world, according to your geographic tendencies. Up to and including the moment, he is so recognized in this state but no one is guaranteeing results after 4 p. m.

At that hour, he will be required to post a forfeit of $2,500 covering the matter of weight and appearance for his title match with Bushy Graham here on January 14.

This is a commonplace incident in the career of most champions but for Rosenberg, it may mean the end of a wild ride through life in which stories of intimidation, intrigue, conspiracy and suspensions have received wide circulation.

The scales, where other pursuers failed, have caught up with Rosenberg in one of the few states that tolerates his occupancy of the title and there seems nothing for it but to capitulate to the inevitable. Rosenberg can't make the weight with a balloon in either hand.

He, therefore, has a choice of three decisions today and none of them is alluring. He can resign from the championship; he can donate the $2,500 and come in at catchweights against Graham; he can save the $2,500 by some miraculous reducing and "sell" the title as remuneratively as possible in the Graham bout. If Rosenberg makes 118 pounds at 2 o'clock on the day of the fight, as demanded, he might be knocked over by a punch from somebody's empty sleeve.

Rosenberg weighed 124 pounds yesterday and the last the writer saw of him he was debating the matter of taking a drink of water or hiring out as a Turkish towel. The extra weight, unfortunately, represents natural development and won't come off without heroic measures. Yet the commission declined the permit, a postponement of the Graham bout for a week and set the time limit today for Rosenberg to declare himself one way or the other.

Radiator Duckpin Bowling League

Novis			
Kennedy	140	161	190
Fair	93	113	119
A. Roth	131	109	118
Gross	83	139	118
Sandy	116	145	141
Totals	563	607	686
Radium			
Kerr	135	92	...
Lach	109	173	116
Lutz	98	...	147
Mayers	103	113	88
Hartman	106	147	105
Gregor		111	122
Totals	551	636	578
Acme			
Logue	126	152	116
Varley	136	147	115
Ashton	85	144	131
Kurtz	128	94	78
Baskeyfield	108	87	139
Totals	583	624	579
Smokeless			
McNickle	100	111	142
Calderwood	100	120	114
T. Monath	139	145	108
Banks	125	112	78
Hamilton	113	139	133
Totals	577	627	575

Stuffy McInnis, who succeeds Art Fletcher as manager of the Phillies, is a veteran of 18 years' experience in the major leagues.

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Franklin High Will Have Strong Team

Venango County Quintet To Battle New Castle Here Thursday Night

Coach Bridenbaugh Drives Team Through Hard Practice Session

By "BUGS" WALTHER.

New Castle High's crack floor combination will encounter a worthy foe here Thursday night at the Senior high gym. Franklin High from up in the confines of Venango county will appear on the local court to do battle with the Red and Black tossers. The game is scheduled to get under way at 8 o'clock sharp.

Much has been written about the Franklin High team. The boys from the oil region are rated as real basketball players and in as much as basketball is the principal sport at Franklin High they generally manage to have a cracker-jack quintet. Not so many years ago the Franklinites carried through the N. W. P. I. A. L. schedule unbeaten and also went through the Grove City tourney undefeated, only to drop to Wilkinsburg at Pittsburgh in the play-off game. Ever since that time the Franklinites have taken to the floor game like a duck to water.

Locals Stage Practice.

The locals will do well to keep one eye pasted on Captain Paul Snyder and another eye on Robert Muse. Snyder a forward is one of the cleverest men in the northwest section of the state and is a real threat. Muse a guard is rated as one of the best in the district.

Miller, Yeager and Rheem complete the Franklin roster and they are all firsst class floor passers. One feature of the Franklin team is the fact that they are all about six foot high and they present a fine apearance on the floor. Yeager the center is 6 feet 2 inches tall.

Coach Bridenbaugh sent the local team through their workout on Tuesday night at the Senior high gym and the boys are rounding into shape following their several days layoff.

New Castle High has won two games and they are out to annex their third straight conflict over the Treadwell coached aggregation. Local fans will get their first glimpse of Paul Reider the former Marietta High flash in action on Thursday night. Reider broke into the lineup at Grove City recently and straightway made himself at home with four baskets.

Coach Bridenbaugh has not yet announced his starting lineup for Thursday night.

Football Coaches Meet To Discuss Change In Rules

(International News Service)

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Abolition of the huddle restriction of the shift, a new rule to cover the forward passes and other changes in the football code will be discussed today at the annual meeting of the American Football Coaches association. Such recommendations that are made will be passed on to the rules committee for consideration.

Gerson Imperials Plan Fast Team

The Gerson Imperials are planning a fast quintet for this year. On Saturday night the team will open their season by meeting the Polish Falcon Juniors on the Y. M. C. A. floor.

On January 4, the Imperials will clash with the Trojans on the Rose avenue gym floor. Two other games with fast teams are pending.

New uniforms of striking blue and white have been purchased for the team by their sponsor Jack Gerson, local jeweler.

For games with the Imperials write to E. Solomon at 1505½ Pennsylvania avenue, or call 2857-R.

HERE AND THERE IN SPORTS' LAND

By ED. FRITZ

TOM Crowley, featherweight, of Pittsburgh, may be the new "Harry Greb" of Pittsburgh's pugilistic world, as the youngster recently defeated Phil Goldstein and has won a name for himself among Pittsburgh fans.

Crowley got his opportunity when Promoter McGarvey decided to use local talent, inasmuch as several of the "big town" stars gave Smoky City fans the loud guffaw in their bouts at Motor Square Garden.

McGarvey has unearthed plenty of willing material, but there are two chaps he has overlooked. One is Kid Cangie, New Castle junior lightweight, and the veteran, Babe Picato. Cangie is a knockem-cold artist, while Babe totes a sock and a bag of tricks.

DURING recent months Cangie has been accomplishing something worth while, pugilistically, his latest feat being a knockout over Johnny Sacco. He is training for a prospective fight with Bobby Garcia, to be staged at Rochester, N. Y.

Picato has not boxed for several months, one of his last encounters having been against Sammy Mandell, the lightweight king. Mandell won, but not until he had hit the floor as Picato knocked him down, something few foes have accomplished.

ACCORDING to information sent to the writer, there's a chap in the Dime quarters who may be heard from in the future. He is Johnny Riley, son of the city's assistant electrician. He is built good, likes the game and is making progress.

He has not been sent out to combat as yet, as rarely are Dime proteges shifted into a ring until they know what to do with their hands and feet. He may get a chance to show his stuff before a Youngstown audience in the near future.

GENE Tunney creeps into print, whether he sojourns in the wilds or basks in the lights of Broadway. The latest publicity from Gene is that he has not signed to fight Jack Delaney next September. Jack is the bird with the sock that fans would like to see pitted against Tunney.

According to present indications, it appears as though Tex Rickard will toss all the heavyweights into the ring and the survival of the fittest will be called upon to meet Jack Dempsey, dethroned king of punch. Should Dempsey overcome his antagonist, he will get a return bout with the Marine.

HUGO Bezdek, Penn State coach, believes there is a tendency to make football a defensive game. At least, that is what Hugo said from his lair at State College, Pa. He says that instead of placing yearly restrictions on offensive football, the rules committee should consider restricting the defense.

The Nittany coach favors the abolition of the point after touchdown and the jump shift. If the point method is to be allowed he says he would like to see it changed to two points to come from a run or pass, and give only one point for a successful kick.

CHARLEY Phil Rosenberg, accused of being the present world's bantamweight champion, has been granted a postponement of his titular bout with Bushy Graham, according to action taken by the New York boxing commission. The fight was to have occurred January 7.

It is reported that the commission of three which has controlled boxing in New York is doomed, and that instead boxing will be an "one-man" affair soon. The governor favors "one-man" control. The New York body's rulings have long been a source of discussion and as a result some of them have been considered jokes.

There are 519 known packs of hounds in the world.

Hope To Get New York Promoters Interested In New "Federal" League

(International News Service)

PITTSBURG, Dec. 29.—Armed with a working fund of $150,000, representing $25,000 each from baseball magnates in Philadelphia, Detroit, Cleveland, Buffalo, Baltimore and Pittsburgh and with an additional $75,000 held in reserve by each group, officials of a proposed third major league, whose identities remain unrevealed, today went forward with efforts to interest New York business men in the plan to establish a member of the league in the metropolis, according to William Tice McCullough of Pittsburgh, self-styled secretary of the new venture.

McCullough said that the new league, modeled after the old Federal league, wants only to make sure of a team in New York before making its plans and the identities of its promoters known officially. He points out that a New York team in the new league is essential to establish the venture as if big circuit calibre and to compete with the National and American leagues.

McCullough, standing adamant upon his declaration that Pitt stadium at Pittsburgh and the sesquicentennial stadium at Philadelphia would be available for use by the new league, despite details in some quarters, further elaborated upon his plans to say that his mysterious colleagues were negotiating with a widely known firm of structural engineers with a view to constructing baseball parks in each of the cities to be represented in the new league, where parks are not now available.

McCullough indicated that many of the backers of the venture, among whom, he said, were numbered several financiers who supported the old Federal league, were in favor of retaining the name Federal to designate the "outlaw" organization.

HE'S MIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMP

But He Must Show Something To Take Rank With Best

By NORMAN E. BROWN

Mickey Walker, dethroned as welterweight champion, rose to power in the closing days of the year of 1926 by winning the middleweight title—a step higher.

Being the only champion to suffer such a reverse and achieve such a comeback in the same year he stands out as one of the interesting figures of the past 12 months.

But the question may well be raised as to whether Walker, a newcomer among the middleweights, will raise that division to the heights it once boasted.

Walker was not a world-beater as a welterweight. He lost his title to a young, almost unknown fighter who lacked the finesse of experience, at least, if not the fighting power one asks of a champ.

He won the middleweight title in a fashion that draws no great glory to him. He won a decision verdict over Tiger Flowers—a decision that was unpopular and might be questioned because of the dissenting opinions expressed by newspaper men and other critics at the ringside.

And now that he is champion nothing looms ahead for him more interesting than a return bout with Flowers, dethroned champ.

The one thing that might "make" Walker is a knockout victory over the negro in their return bout. And that seems improbable.

The financial arrangements of the Flowers-Walker bout stick in the crops of many fans. Kearns is said to have guaranteed Flowers $65,000 if the latter lost the bout on a close decision. Kearns also agreed to give Flowers the first crack at Walker, should the latter win.

Now the thinking fan may ask: "How does Kearns expect to get back his $65,000 of he gambles on the possibility of Walker losing to Flowers in their next bout?"

Walker, when a welter, took on Harry Greb and the late Pittsburgh wizard made a monkey out of the then welter champ. Greb's untimely death indicated that he was not at his best when Flowers wrested the middleweight title from him. However, fans gave Flowers—the first negro to hold the middleweight title—credit for being a great fighter—until the disappointing showing against Walker.

It is up to Walker, directed by Kearns, to prove to the world that he is a real fighter—and champ.

Can he do it as a middleweight when he failed to do it as a welterweight?

1926 Boxing Review

By Feg Murray

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The year 1926 provided a merry baseball season, with a new champion in each league, and the winners of each pennant not known until the last week of the respective races. The high spot of the year was the winning of the National League pennant for the first time in history by the St. Louis Cardinals, and their ultimate triumph in as thrilling a world series as even the most rabid baseball fan could ask for.

The National League race was featured by the collapse of the 1925 champion Pittsburgh Pirates, due to internal dissention, and the failure of the New York Giants, champions of 1924, to finish in the first division, partly due to a series of accidents. The lowly Chicago Cubs, with a new manager, surprised the experts by finishing in fourth place, while the Cincinnati Reds gave the Cards a terrific battle for top honors, leading a good part of the season. In the younger circuit, the Yankees surprised by their astonishing return to form, getting off to a big lead at the start of the season, but nearly being overtaken by Cleveland during the closing weeks.

The winning of the world series by the Cardinals, who came from behind to take the last two games, was a fine tribute to the managerial ability of Rogers Hornsby, as well as to the pitching ability of the veteran Alexander, who had been cast off by the Cubs in midseason. While Alex's work was both romantic and heroic, he was forced to share world series honors with Babe Ruth, who broke all previous home run records. New marks for attendance and receipts were also set.

Managerial heads were lopped off right and left as soon as the season ended. George Sisler, whose St. Louis Browns had had a most disappointing season, was the first to go, being replaced by Dan Howley. Eddie Collins was released as White Sox pilot, and the job given to Ray Schalk, his team-mate. Lee Fohl's place as boss of the Red Sox went to Bill Carrigan. Bill McKechnie was given the air by the Pirate owners, and Donie Bush was signed up. Art Fletcher was replaced by Stuffy McInnis for the Phillies, while the passing from baseball forever of those two grand old players, Ty Cobb and Tris Speaker, brought George Moriarty in as manager of the Tigers and Jack McAllister as new boss of the Indians.

In the minors, too, champions fell before the 1926 jinx. The seven-time champion Baltimore Orioles saw the Toronto "Leafs" win the International League honors, and then overwhelmingly defeat the Louisville "Colonels," champions of the American Association, in the "Little World Series." In the Pacific Coast League, the 1925 champion San Francisco Seals were replaced by the Los Angeles "Angels."

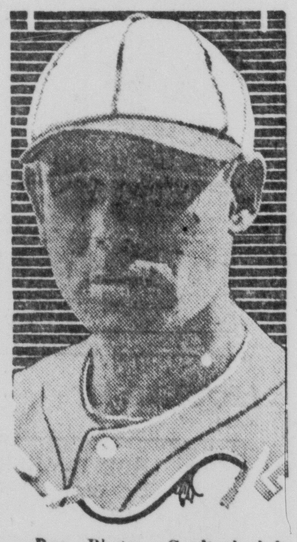
(Continued Tomorrow)

Feg Murray Says—

"Prize-fighters' union suggested to free them from the tyranny of managers and promoters."—News Item.

Another Boxer Rebellion?

Cardinal Star May Never Don Uniform Again



Ray Blades, Cardinal left fielder and called by Manager Hornsby the most aggressive gardener in the National League, may be through as a ball player. He lies a patient in a St. Louis hospital awaiting the outcome of a major operation to correct a misplaced cartilage condition on his knee, injured last August. Should the operation prove unsuccessful he will be unable to resume playing.

Hockey has been resumed at Brown University this winter after a lapse of some years.

Shipping Department Leads Bowling League

Raney Holds High Among Bowlers For Individual Honors

Hot Mill Holds High Mark Of 2,026 Pins For Three Games

League Standing

Name	W.	L.	Pct.
Shipping	18	12	.600
Tin House	17	13	.567
Hot Mill	16	14	.533
Office	9	21	.300

After finishing a 24 week's schedule Shipping department leads the New Castle Works Bowling league with the Tin House second, Hot Mill, third and the Office, in fourth place while Raney holds the high mark for any one game with 232 pins and Douglass occupies second place with 218 pins.

The Hot Mill romped away with the high team score of 785 pins and also the high mark for three games with 2026 pins. The high men for three games are Douglas with 532 and Raney with 529, a contest that evolved no little excitement.

Here's the average of players for the games in which they have participated.

Name	G.	Ave.
Ott	6	159
Raney	25	145
Douglass	30	141
Gregor	19	137
Roth	12	134
McCormick	14	133
McFarland	22	132
Haynes	15	131
McCarthy	12	130
Eckles	17	130
Hoskins	24	128
Ellis	12	127
Davies, D.	13	125
Bowman	19	122
Cioffi	22	121
Bevan	15	121
Cartwright	23	121
Elliott	19	121
Allsopp	20	120
Davies, M	10	117
Kastner	22	117
Atkins	8	117
Tate	11	116
Gwilym	21	117
Shifflet	24	116
Black	23	113
Whitlach	13	112
Wood	17	111
Sinkner	19	111
Evans	10	107
Jones	13	107
Ritter	16	98

Friday night the Hot Mill will play the Shipping department and the Office wall clash with the Tin Mill.

New Cardinal Manager Signs Up For "Life"

(International News Service)

CHICAGO Dec. 29—Bob O'Farrell recently appointed manager of the St. Louis Cardinals, admitted over the long distance telephone from St. Louis today that he himself has contracted to take "manager" for life.

About he time "the most valuable player in the National league" was being advised he had been named to succeed Rogers Hornsby, Bob was in Chicago persuading Miss Arline Edwards to "sign for life."

Report of the engagement was confirmed today at the Edwards home The date of the wedding has not been announced.

Cobb To Confer With Attorney

(International News Service)

DETROIT, Dec. 29.—Ty Cobb was due in Detroit today to confer with his attorney, J. O. Murfin, former circuit court judge as to the exact procedure the two will make in an effort to remove whatever stigma has been placed on Cobb by disclosures made by Judge Kenesaw M. Landis high commissioner of baseball.

An unconfirmed report had it that Cobb will bring suit in the United States court, claiming he was damaged as a result of testimony published by Commissioner Landis, linking him with an alleged crooked baseball game played in Detroit September 25, 1919.

Cobb and Tris Speaker the latter also named in the scandal by Judge Landis, will file independent damage suits if such action is decided upon according to report.

Cobb's friends declared that he has decided not to associate himself with a third major league in any capacity.

Niles Bowlers Seek Matches

The Niles Ohio Recreation league desires bowling matches with all men's ten-pin teams, duck-pin teams, and ladies duck-pin teams in New Castle. The games will be arranged on a home and home basis.

For games write to U. A. Miller, Director Niles Recreation Service, Niles, Ohio, or call long distance 225-J.

Today's Anniversaries

1808—Andrew Johnson 17th president of the United States, born at Releigh, N. C. Died in Carter county, Tenn., July 30, 1875.

1812—U. S. Frigate Constitution destroyed the British ship Java in battle off the Brazilian coast.

1837—Imperial winter palace in St. Petersburg, the largest in Europe and capable of housing 12,000 people destroyed by fire.

1876—Titus Salt, who built the first alpaca factory in England, died. Born September 20, 1803.

1888—The Law and Order league of Sioux City, Ia., commenced procedings against transportation companies accused of nullifying the prohibition laws.

Lincolns To Play Scholastic Quint

Greenville Scholastics To Appear On Y. M. C. A. Floor Saturday

The Lincoln Five will play the strong Greenville Scholastic five on the Y. M. C. A. floor on Saturday night. A preliminary game between the Jewish Imperials and Polish Falcon Juniors will start at eight o'clock.

The Lincolns lost to the Scholastics at Greenville a few weeks ago by a low score and the locals are desirous of getting back a little revenge for their defeat. The Scholastics are composed of former high school and college stars.

Bicycle devotees whose memories go back 25 years or more will be sorry to learn of the plight of Major Taylor who is reported to be ill and in needy circumstances at his home in Worcester, Mass. A generation ago when bicycle racing was at its peak the "Major" was one of be speediest figures in the game.

HALL of FAME

Nominating Emory Rigney

Because he was the busiest shortstop in the American League last year.

Because he labored, knowing his labors with the Red Sox would be in vain.

Because he proved that he is a good infielder when he isn't nursing some ailment, physical or imaginary.

Because he had the last laugh on Ty Cobb, who decided his room was better than his board and let him pass along.

And because now, under Fighting Bill Carrigan Rigney will get a final chance to prove that—given a good leader he can play the shortfield position as it should be played.

Fast Games On Tap For Tonight

Two fast games will be played on the Y. M. C. A. floor tonight. The preliminary game will find the Rick-Overland girls meeting the Buhl Club girls, and the second game will bring together the "Y" Big Five and Buhl club quintet.

The "Y" Big Five is a picked team from the City Industrial league and former High school stars home from school for the holidays. Andy Hartman, Johnny Kraft and Charles "Horse" Gillium former Castle Five stars will be found in the lineup tonight.

American Women Channel Swimmers Featured 1926 Sports; Other Events

BY DAVIS J. WALSH
Sports Editor Internat'al News Service

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Gertrude Ederle and Mrs. Clemington Corson (Mlle. Gade) forgot they were ladies and swam the channel. Erich Hagenlacher, of Germany, became the first non-American holder of the balk line billiard title since the distant day of Cure and Vignaux, Arne, Borg, a transplanted Swede, won our middle distance swimming championships. Clas Thunberg, Olympic champion skater, paid us a visit and upon his departure checked most of his reputation at Quarantine.

In brief all of the big moments of 1926 were not confined to baseball, football, golf, tennis and boxing. Every little pastime had a moment all of its own.

Swimming.

In spite of the fact that Verkoeter, a German, and Michel, a Frenchman subsequently swam the channel in faster time, the performance of Miss Ederle and Mrs. Corson in making the turbulent crossing from France to England hours under the old masculine record will forever rank with really great achievements of sport. Miss Ederle's time was roundly 14 hours and 34 minutes, Mrs. Corson the second woman in history to make the swim also beat the previous record held by Charles Toth an American.

Borg won the 880 yard and one mile titles at the outdoor championships but Johnny Weismuller again was supreme at all the sprint distances. Walter Laufer, Cincinnati Y. M. C. A., was the star of the indoor championships, winning titles at 100 yards free style and 150 yards backstroke and also in the pentathlon and medley swims.

Ethel Lackie, Illinois A. C., was the first woman champion sprinter, indoors and out, and Martha Norelius, New York, easily carried off middle distance honors. The backstroke title again went to Sybil Bauer and the breast stroke events to Agnes Geraghty, as usual.

The Illinois A. C. won the outdoor team title but the Cincinnati Y. M. C. A. came through indoors. Yale was the intercollegiate champion and the feminine team title went to the Women's Swimming association, New York.

Billiards.

Jake Schaefer managed to survive the annual championships tourney at 18.2 balk line as the ultimate winner but was knocked off my Erich Hagenlacher in his first defense of the title. Then Jake turned around and took the 18.1 championship from Willie Hoppe leaving that once great billiardist without a major title.

Ralph Greenleaf, dethroned by Frank Taberski in 1925 came back to reclaim the world's pocket billiard championship in the championship tournament at Philadelphia. Taberski didn't even finish in the runner up position, that honor falling to Erwin Rudolph, who was defeated by Greenleaf on the final night of the event. Otto Reiselt was the 1926 three cushion champion.

A record field of eight crews went to the mark in the intercollegiate championship regatta at Poughkeepsie and the result was one of the greatest races in history, the University of Washington beating the navy by a few feet in the final drive to the finish. The other crews in the race—Syracuse, Pennsylvania, California, Columbia, Wisconsin and Cornell—finished in a pack, so closely bunched that it was almost impossible to identify them from the bank.

Walter Hoover was another come back, the former Diamond Sculls winner regaining his national singles title. The eight oared championship went to the Undine Barge club of Philadelphia.

Skating.

Clas Thunberg of Finland, came to America to emulate Nurmi, but unfamiliarity with American methods and indoor skating lost him a series of match races to Joe Moore, New York and Charley Gorman, St. John's, N. B. Thunberg later redeemed a modicum of his reputation by establishing new records at several distances but it seemed apparent, nevertheless that he was strictly, a time skater, like most Europeans.

The unofficial world's title therefore, went to Gorman while the international championship was won by Val Bialis the national by O'Neill Farrell, the indoor event by Eddie Meyers and the women's title by Lelia Brooks, Toronto.

Basketball.

Two teams laid claim to the basketball championship in 1926 leaving the issue in some doubt. They were the Cleveland Rosenblooms, winners of the American league race and the Original Celtics independent champions. The Greenpoints who won the Metropolitan league also had title pretentions.

In amateur ranks the Hillyards of St. Joseph, Mo., were the winners, while the Pasadena, Cal., Athletic and Country club won the women's title.

Other Sports.

In soccer, Bethlehem Steel won the national honors from the Ben Millers of St. Louis while Fall River was the winner of the American league race and the Defenders of New Bedford, Mass., were the best among the amateurs.

Stephen Sanford's Hurricanes won the championship in polo during an off year. The junior title went to the U. S. Army.

Hockey made its re-entry into American sport on a large scale and even attempted a world's series. Here the Montreal Maroons won from the Victoria Cougars, although the series was hardly a fair test as the games were played under both eastern and western rules.

Reggie McNamara by winning two six day races proved himself the champion long distance bicycle rider of the year. Freddie Spencer was the spring champion and Cecil Walker the all round king.

Fillmore Hyde won the amateur squash championship while handball honors in singles went to Maynard Laswell of Los Angeles and in doubles to Jack Donovan and Lane McMillan of San Francisco. Paul Krempel was the all around champion gymnast.

Steps From Grid to Rule Negroes on Liberian Rubber Plantation

Central Press Photo

John Tilton, line coach at Ohio Wesleyan University last fall and formerly an All-Ohio guard at that school, has signed to boss a rubber plantation in Liberia, Africa, for a period of two years. He will leave shortly.

SPORTS DONE BROWN

We find that during the holiday season this baseball mess has taken the place of "bonded stuff" and the funny Christmas presents Aunt Minny always sends as the chief topic of conversation when good fellows get together.

And the interesting slant on these discussions is that the average fan now finds himself hopelessly at sea as far as having any clear idea what Tris and Ty did and didn't do, said and didn't say, etc. He is at sea regarding the ethics of the manner in which the baseball moguls handled the case. He has no clear conception of just how and why the matter was kept under cover for three months before being spilled.

He seems definitely satisfied regarding but one phase of the case. That is that Dutch Leonard must find his "revenge" sort of an unsatisfactory one. Not one fan within my hearing has had a kind word or a defense for Leonard.

The public seems, generally speaking, in sympathy with Cobb and Speaker. There is no sentiment for Leonard.

That "settlement" that the American League made with Leonard sticks in the craw of the fans. And they can't swallow it.

Connie Mack, dean of American League pilots and one of the "bulwarks" of baseball, is still receiving congratulations on the occasion of his sixty-fourth birthday.

Thirty-two of those 64 years (half his life) has been given to baseball. And he has no idea of stepping down and out as yet. The signing of Eddie Collins recently, is taken as an indication by some that Connie is preparing for the day when he will find it convenient to turn over the active management of the club to someone else. This, however, is mere conjecture. His principal reasons for signing Collins, of course, were to strengthen his infield and to add color to the club, which would help it at the gate.

Connie broke into baseball as a catcher in 1894.

Gene Tunney, who weathered Jack Dempsey's punches for 10 rounds and got a decision over him, says that if Dempsey ever really hits Jack Delaney the lightweight champ will be knocked cold.

There are two inferences to draw. One is that Dempsey hit Tunney and failed to turn the trick because Gene was too tough. The other is that Dempsey didn't hit Tunney.

Bill Killefer, veteran catcher of the National League, will look a bit odd in the garb of an American Leaguer next summer.

For the reason that Bill, until recently coach of the St. Louis Cardinal pitchers, has reversed the usual trend in baseball.

In the majority of cases veteran players pass from the American into the National League. Donie Bush, new Pirate leader for instance, played out his string as in infielder with the Detroit Tigers and Washington Senators. Stuffy McInnis, new pilot of the Phillies, won his fame as a first sacker for Connie Mack and batted around the American League after leaving the Athletics, before joining the Braves and later going to the Phils.

Most men who have stepped from the playing ranks of one organization to the other have won their fame in the young league, to bask in the closing days of their glory in the old circuit.

But Killefer comes to the American to top off his career as a player, manager and coach. He'll help Dan Howley, new manager of the St. Louis Browns, the coming year.

Killefer is ranked as one of the greatest catchers of the old league. The earlier years of his services were given the Phillies, as battery mate for the great Grover Alexander. Together they moved to the Cubs and there Killefer caught more games and later tried his hand at managing the team. Then he moved to the Cardinals as coach of pitchers. He is given credit for tipping off Hornsby and Owner Breadon of the Cardinals to the fact that Alexander, tossed aside by the Cubs, could help the St. Louis team win the pennant and world's series. A truer prophet never took a chew.

Incidentally the acquisition of Killefer by the Browns backs up the assertion of Steve O'Neill that this veteran backstop expects to be the Browns' main catcher next season. Howley evidently figures that O'Neill cannot give his best behind the plate if the labor of teaching the wild idea how to pitch between games is wished on him also.

Phil Scott, the English heavyweight champion, is particularly desirous of taking on Harry Persson on his coming visit to America. Scott and Persson met in London not long ago the Swedish fighter, after being made to look like a novice in the early rounds, landed a punch that put the Britisher down for the count.

Those who attend the all east, all west football game in the California bowl on New Year's day will see some of the greatest football players in the country in action. Because the two teams were hastily assembled and are composed of men who did not play together in college there may be a lack of smooth work in offense but to offset that there is likely to be plenty of individual play and some of it of the spectacular sort—just the brand of football that is best calculated to please the majority of the fans.

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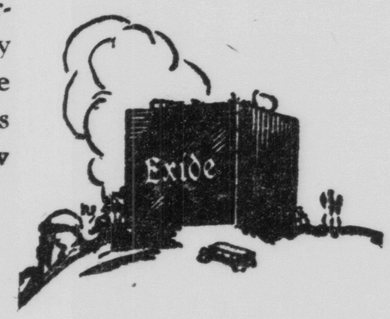

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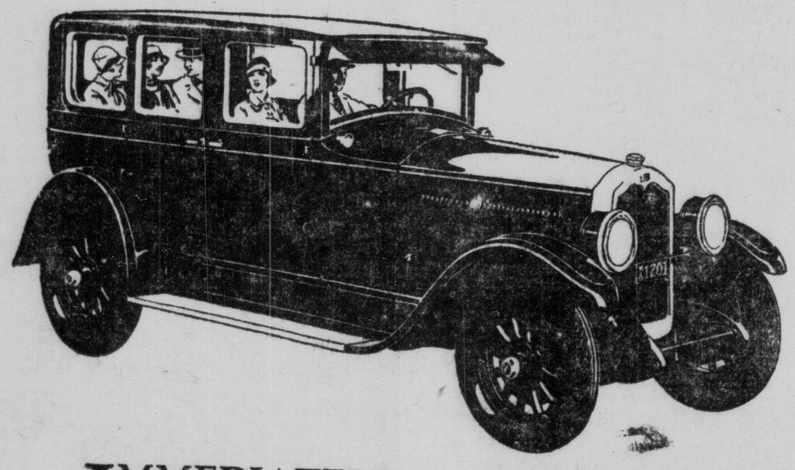

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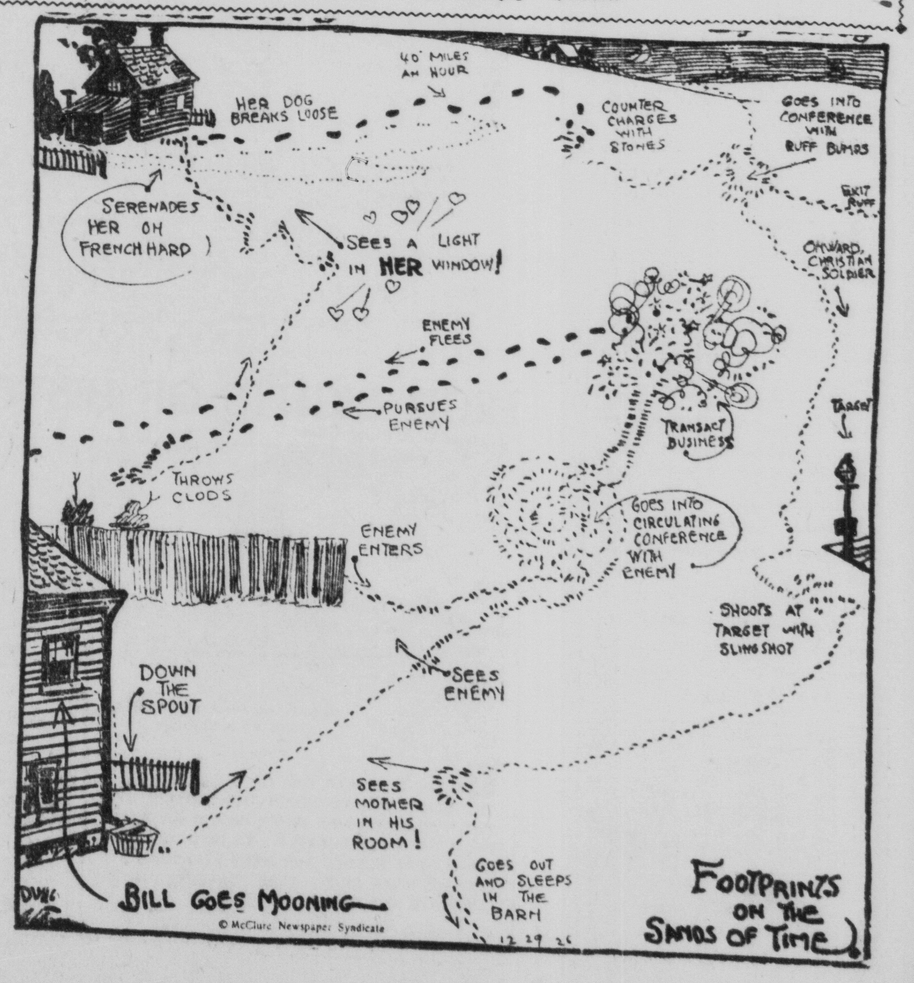

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FORNEY'S machine and welding shop equipped to do all kinds of machine work welding, cutting and brazing, straightening and welding of frames. Water jackets electrically welded without dismantled, aluminum welding a specialty, also equipped with portable electric and acetylene welders. Phone 141-R. 209 Elm St. 93t6—8

BUSINESS SERVICE

Miscellaneous Services

PAPER HANGING SPECIAL—For $5.25 will furnish and put on the paper for any room up to 12x14. Twenty per cent discount on all work. 2892-W. 1t*—10

J. FORD FULKERSON, jeweler, repairing and engraving, opposite New Castle Dry Goods Co. 1t—10

FIRE INSURANCE—Save 20 per cent. Reliable companies. S. A. McCracken & Son, 22 East Street. Bell 3185. 96t5*—10

FOR quality plumbing call E. E. Bigley. Call 1136. 90t10—10

FOR mill cinders, limestone screenings, washed sand and gravel call Cage Bros., 204 or 4913 after 6 p. m. 76t24*—10

PRINTING—Prompt service, high class work. We make rubber stamps. Donnan's, 341 E. Washington St. Phone 4326. 74t26*—10

PIANO TUNING and repairing properly done. A. G. Crawford, J. J. Smith, the piano experts. 1234 Huron Avenue. Phone 1582-W. 74t26—10

STEAMSHIP tickets to Europe. Special tours to all lands. E. J. O'Brien, 333 East Washington St. Phone 944. 74t26*—10

LEARNERS' permits and auto licenses, Edward J. O'Brien, Notary Public, 333 E. Washington St. Phone 944. 74t26*—10

ADVERTISE IN LANCASTER—When you have occasion to advertise in Lancaster county and surrounding territory, send your ad to the Lancaster New Era—the evening paper with the largest circulation and classified section in the Garden Spot of the World. Rates on request. 172tf—10

Dressmakers, Milliners

DRESSMAKING—Call 2176-W. Mable Ball, 7½ W. Washington St., on the Diamond. 96t3*—11

Woman's Realm.

IF YOU are seeking good health try the famous Dr. Kruse System Sulphur Vapor Baths. 6½ S. Mercer St., New Castle, Penna. These baths will relieve rheumatism in all its forms and many kindred ailments. Lady attendant. Phone 1960-R. Residence phone 1223-M. Prop. E. S. Vernock, Sr. 74t26—12

Reaching the Prospects You Most Want

Somewhere there are just the sort of people to whom you would like to rent your spare room, apartment or house. It is no difficult problem to reach them through this newspaper. Bring your want ad and let us help you prepare a message that will bring results.

THE NEWS WANT ADS

READ BY 90,000 DAILY.

BUSINESS SERVICE

Repairing

SEWING MACHINE REPAIRING—"Since 1909." Henry C. Pitsch, corner Miller and Moravia. Bell 4678J. 86t28*—15

MORE miles on tires we repair. Apply Grossman Tire Shop, 129 E. North St., 113 W. Long Ave. 93t6—15

PHONOGRAPHS REPAIRED promptly, reasonable expenses. Bring motor or phone Bell 1429J. Work called for. G. H. Walter & Co., 105 N. Mercer St. Open evenings. 90t10—15

SEWING MACHINE REPAIRING—"Since 1909." Henry C. Pitsch, corner Miller and Moravia. Bell 4678J. 86t10*—15

BROKEN false teeth repaired same day brought in. Dr. Finkelstein, 23½ East Washington Street, over Regent Theatre. 74t26—15

EMPLOYMENT

Female

WANTED—Bookkeeper with knowledge of typewriting. State age, reference and experience. Reply Hand Writing, Box No. 253, care News. 97t2*—17

WANTED—Waitress. Robinson Restaurant. 97t2*—17

WANTED—Experienced lady stenographer, preferably one familiar with the use of dictaphones. Apply G. G. Stitzinger & Co., Lawrence Savings & Trust Co. Bldg. 97t3*—17

WANTED—Lady for general housework. Call at 1320 S. Jefferson St. 1t*—17

WANTED—Girl or middle aged woman as housekeeper, family of three. Can go home at night. 638 E. Washington St. 96t2*—17

WANTED—Ladies to employ the best hat cleaning service in New Castle. Feltex Hat Shop, 16 S. Mercer. 96t1*—17

WANTED—A foreign girl for housework. Apply 430 Boyles Avenue. 97t2*—17

WANTED—Saleslady experienced in coat, dress and millinery department. In reply state experience, reference and salary expected. Write Box 456, Ellwood City, Pa. 97t3—17

WANTED—Waitress. Capital Lunch, 27 S. Mercer St. 95t8*—17

WANTED—Second cook, Shenango Valley Hospital. 259tf—17

WANTED—At once, ward maid, dishwasher. Shenango Valley hospital. Apply at superintendent's office. 195tf—17

Male

WANTED—Salesman. A live aggressive man between 25 and 35. If you have sales courage, are a clean liver and have learned that success comes only through hard work, call for an interview. If you have the right qualifications we have a place for you. Foster Brothers, Inc., 25 N. Jefferson Street. 97t3—18

WANTED—A junior truck salesman. If you are sure you can give satisfactory answers to the questions we are going to ask you, if you can show a reliable record as to honesty and character, we can use you. We will educate you to sell our trucks and pay you a salary while you are learning. Call for an application blank which will be followed by a personal interview. Foster Brothers, Inc., 25 N. Jefferson Street. 97t3—18

WANTED—Two experienced washing machine and sweeper salesmen; attractive proposition. We furnish the car and plenty of leads. Service Appliance Co., Inc., 337 E. Washington Street. 97t2—18

WANTED—Man to haul away garbage. Jack Diamond's Restaurant, Mahoningtown, Pa. 97t3—18

WANTED—Salesman to assist me in real estate. Good proposition to right man. See Mr. Horowitz, 316 St. Cloud Bldg. 95t3*—18

EMPLOYMENT

Male

SALESMAN—Wanted by a large corporation whose organization is composed of men who have started at the bottom and earned advancement to position of responsibility, experience not necessary in selling as we train you thoroughly before sending you into the field. Apply all week from 2:30 to 4:30, W. F. Lehmann, Room 512 Greer Bldg., New Castle, Pa. 1t*—18

WANTED—Men to leave their hats for cleaning and blocking at the Feltex Hat Shop, 16 S. Mercer. 96t4—18

ASSISTANT collector, one who is fully acquainted with city and suburban routes. Apply at once to Hy-Grade Inc., 127 E. Washington St. 95t3—18

Situations Wanted

YOUNG man has no home. Will work for $3 per day. Call 2964-R1. 1t*—20

WANTED—Washings or day work to do. Phone 2110-R1. 1t*—20

WIDOW with two children desires position as housekeeper. Write Box 252, care News. 97t2*—20

POSITION as typist, file clerk, biller or general office work; three years' experience. Ruth Comoli, 423 Neshannock Ave. 97t2*—20

WANTED—A position in New Castle by young lady with school teacher's education. Must pay good wages. Age 20. Address Box 251, care New Castle News. 96t2*—20

WANTED—Odd jobs of all kinds, odd Job Co., 1062-J. 96t2*—20

FINANCIAL

Money To Loan.

LOANS TO HOUSEKEEPERS
$25.00 to $300.00. Strictly private. 24-hour service. No endorsers required.
PERSONAL FINANCE COMPANY
201 Centennial Bldg., S. Mill & Washington. Phone 2-100. 96t4—22

MONEY to loan on second mortgages; strictly confidential. Newmark Mortgage Co., 303 Phillips St. Phone 1017-R. 96t3*—22

MONEY—Family loan in any amount up to $300. Repay in easy monthly payments. Home loan. A. C. Shoaf, Mgr., 407 L. S. & T. Bldg. 95t5—22

MONEY to loan in large amounts, $20,000 and up. Edward J. O'Brien, 333 E. Washington St. Phone 944. 93t6—22

J. O. RODGERS is handling joint stock land bank farm loans. 614 L. S. & T. Bldg. 74t26—22

MONEY to loan on diamonds, watches, jewelry. Lowest rates. Moe's Jewelry Store, 6 East Washington Street. 74t26—22

LIVE STOCK

Pet Stock and Poultry

FOR SALE—Two coon dogs and Ford coupe. Phone 8038R2. 96t2—27

C & C PET SHOP—Canaries, gold fish and supplies, gold finches, grey Java sparrows, love birds, mule canaries, zebra finches, one male Police pup, rabbits, guinea pigs, Q. W. dog remedies. 1219 Moravia St. 95t6—27

POULTRY feeds, supplies, remedies and O. K. Poultry litter. Telephone 4140. Castle Hatchery, 11 Mahoning avenue, New Castle, Pa. 90t10—27

Cattle, Horses, Vehicles

FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey cow with calf at side. Inquire 1929 Moravia St Extension, New Castle, Pa. 97t3—28

FOR SALE—O. I. C. pigs, 10 weeks' old. Henry Emery, R. D. 4, New Castle. 1t*—28

FOR SALE—Dressed hogs. Phone 8099-R11. 96t2*—28

FOR SALE—One registered Holstein bull, 16 months' old. Also one good cow, 4 years' old, fresh in 3 weeks. See John Tervo, R. D. 1 or call 26-R2 Princeton. 92t3*—28

MERCHANDISE

Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Cheap, hot water heating system, cement block machine and mixer, tools of all descriptions, water power washer. Call between 5 and 8 p. m., 804 Etna St. 1t*—39

FOR SALE—Two electric chandeliers at reasonable price. Call 177-M. 1t*—39

TURNIPS, 8 lbs., rolled oats, 6 lbs., 25c. The Orange Shop, 124 West Washington St. until 8 p. m. 1t*—39

FOR SALE—75 hot bed sash 3 ft. by 6 ft., $4 each; good as new. Call 5260. 96t3*—30

BALED straw for sale. S. W. Crawford, R. D. 8, Mahoningtown, Pa. 96t2*—39

PIANOS, victrolas, radios; strings, violins, ukuleles, rolls, records, etc. Repair string instruments and rehair bows. Harry E. Thompson, Dean Bldg., Basement. Bell 213. 95t6*—30

GOOD serviceable house paint at $2.29 per gallon. Spencer Paint & Glass Co. A good place to buy paint. Ask your neighbor. Bell phone 739. 25 S. Mercer street. 90t10—30

Feed, Fuel, Fertilizer

COAL, COAL, COAL—Harlansburg district coal, $5 ton; Pittsburgh coal, $6.10. For service call 9131. Immediate delivery. 97t4*—33

KOAL, KOAL, KOAL, Harlansburg district, the very best, $4.95 per ton; also Pittsburgh, $6.00 ton, delivered. Bell 4145. 97t3*—33

COAL, COAL Pittsburgh lump and egg. Any amount delivered. J. L. Maxwell & Co., 4062. 97t30*—33

CALL 3476-R for good country coal. 97t3*—33

ONE man has used Hell's Hollow coal 12 years. There's a reason. 3592-W. 97t2*—33

MOORE'S country coal, $5.00 per ton. None better. Call 5012-R14. 96t5*—33

FOR SALE—Genuine Hog Hollow coal, $5 per ton. H. S. Francis, Bell 2303-M. 96t2*—33

ORIGINAL Pittsburgh lump and nut coal, $5.75 and $6.50. Keystone-De-Blase Coal Co. Call yard 777-R; city office 4275. 92t12*—33

GENUINE Pittsburgh lump coal, any amount delivered, $6.50 per ton. E. N. Allison. Bell 4331-J. 91t22*—33

COAL—Best Pittsburgh lump coal, 6 ton lot, $5.50; 2 ton lot, $5.75; 1 ton lot, $6. Call E. Lattavo, phone 4666. 51t9*—33

BEST Pittsburg coal, immediate delivery to all parts of the city. Phone 537. New Castle Feed & Coal Co. 88t30—33

BUY your best Pittsburgh coal at low price. Alfonso Scarazzo, phone 28. 90t10—33

BEST grade Pittsburgh coal; quick service. Cage Bros., 204 or 4913 after 6 p. m. 76t24*—33

BEST Pittsburgh coal. Phone 107-J. Castle Coal & Transfer Co. Samuel J. Bratschie, Mgr. 74t26—33

FOR Pittsburgh coal call John B. Thorson & Co., 517 S. Mill St. Phone 1392. 74t26*—33

Household Goods

FOUND—Low overhead, long experience cash purchases. Will save you money by buying your furniture at Campbell's at New Wilmington or W. R. Campbell. 97t12—34

FULL size Simmons bed and springs, extra good condition, like new and only $12.50. Want to save money? Here's your chance. Allen's, 226 Croton. 1t*—34

USED rug, size 8.3x10.6, in good condition, bargain price. Don't delay, others will want it too. First money takes it. Allen's, 226 Croton. 1t*—34

COAL heaters, only few left, all good shape, suitable for warehouses, stores, garages or homes. Last call, final clean-up, no reasonable offer refused. All must go. Allen's, 226 S. Croton. 1t*—34

DUOFOLDS and davenports, special low prices for final clean-up to make room for other goods. You can save money by buying now. All good condition, good upholstering. Remember, real bargain prices too. Allen's, 226 Croton. 1t*—34

DINING suite, highly polished, golden oak, very good condition, strongly built. Will last lifetime. Suite consists of 6 chairs, round table, buffet and server. All at real bargain price too. Allen's save you money, 226 Croton. 1t*—34

WRIGHT gas range, white enamel front and side, in first-class condition. Am leaving city, must be sold by Friday evening. Call after 8 p. m., Thursday or Friday, Mrs. Carbaugh, Rice Apts., E. North St. 1t*—34

FOR SALE—Large golden oak buffet, excellent condition; must sell; $26; bargain. 314 Sycamore St. Call 9002. 97t3—34

FOR SALE—Four hole coal cook stove. Must be sold at once—$15. Inquire The Frew Company, North and Mill. 97t2—34

FOR SALE—Large cannon [illegible] heating stove, $20. This stove is a fine heater and would heat a large hall or club room. Inquire The Frew Company, North & Mill. 97t2—34

FOR SALE—Gas heater. Will heat two or three rooms. Must be sold at once. Can be bought for $10. The Frew Co., North and Mill St. 97t2—34

MERCHANDISE

Household Goods

FOR SALE—Used Vulcan gas range at a reasonable price. Inquire 1403 Albert St. 97t3*—34

FURNITURE FOR SALE—Living room, dining room, hall and bedroom. 509 Highland. Phone 1577-J. 96t3*—34

GAIN-A-DAY, cylinder type washer, looks like new; guaranteed for one year. A bargain for someone looking for a reliable washer. Terms: $6 to $10 per month. Edvingston Sweeper Co., 19 S. Mercer St. 96t3—34

FOR SALE—Household furniture. Must be sold by December 30th. 606 Court St., after 7 p. m. only. 95t3*—34

NEVER buy any used furniture of any kind until you have looked over our exchange furniture in Haney's Basement. 74t26—34

Musical Instruments

FOR SALE—Lester piano, $85. 210 N. Ashland Ave., Mahoningtown. 97t2*—35

SAXOPHONE, band instruments; free lessons, terms; repairing. Paul B. McCandless, 365 E. North. 5249-J. 95t5—35

A REAL bargain, used piano, in good condition, for $125. $15 down and $10 month takes it. Harry E. Thompson, Dean Bldg. Phone 213. 95t4*—35

Radio and Electrical Merchandise

VAN RADIO SERVICE
Rear Greer Bldg., at rear of postoffice. Efficient radio service, designing, repairing. H. J. Van Buren. Phone 5146. 75t25*—35A

Wanted—To Buy

WANTED TO BUY—Milk cooler and bottler for small dairy. R. S. McAnlis, New Galilee, Pa., R. D. 1. 97t3*—38

WANTED

GOOD, CLEAN COTTON RAGS—LARGE ENOUGH TO WIPE MACHINERY—NO SMALL PIECES.

NEWS PRESS ROOM. 37tf—38

ROOMS

Rooms For Rent

FURNISHED room suitable for one or two people, central location. Phone 9015. 36 East St. 1t*—39

ATTRACTIVE, well furnished room in new home; steam heat; phone; always hot water; close in. 707 Croton Ave. 97t4*—39

Rooms For Housekeeping

TWO nice furnished rooms, gas, electric, water and heat furnished, electric sweeper, iron and washer. 612 E. Lutton St. 3539-W. 1t*—40

FIVE furnished rooms, private bath, private front and back entrance, close in, $35 month. 707 Croton Avenue. 97t4*—40

FIRST floor, 3 rooms, furnished for light housekeeping; private entrance, modern conveniences. 206 S. Walnut 1032-J. 1t*—40

FOR RENT—Two fully furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Call 3077 or 36R. 96t2*—40

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING and sleeping, large rooms, $3 to $4 per week; furnace heat in every room. Corner of Front and Washington. 4803J. 96t3*—40

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 401 Pearson St. 1373-M. 95t4*—40

LIGHT housekeeping, two large front rooms with bath, furnace heat, electricity and laundry. 739 Croton Avenue. Phone 1617-M. 97t3*—40

FOR RENT—Suite of 3 unfurnished rooms, all conveniences, East Side. Call 1012 Beckford St. 97t2—40

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms in new modern house; rent reasonable. East Side. 2167-R before 7 p. m. 97t2*—40

THREE or five modern, well furnished rooms, private bath, laundry, private entrance, good location. 707 Croton Ave. 95t6*—40

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Call Bell 2880-J. 95t3—40

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping; modern. 110 W. Wabash Ave., Mahoningtown. Phone 2887-J1. 95t3*—40

FURNISHED one, two or three housekeeping rooms, close in, private entrance, child welcome, near school, garage. 4303. 95t6*—40

FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping, close in. 1518-W. 247 Pearson St. 95t3*—40

Adam had a dickens of a time finding a home. You can find one easily, however, just read about the homes advertised in the Classified Section.

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

Apartments For Rent

FOR RENT—Three rooms with bath January 1st. Inquire Bob White's Service Station, 809 Croton Avenue. 97t4*—42

FOR RENT—Four roomed apartment heated, near post office. Inquire 124 N. Mercer St. 1t*—42

FOR RENT—Second floor of six room house, furnished, modern, private entrance, private bath, laundry in basement, close in, also garage, adults. Call 1753-J. 1t*—42

FOR RENT—Four rooms and bath, electric and gas, desirable location. Call 2026-R1. 96t3*—42

STEAM heated apartment, 5 rooms and bath, furnished or unfurnished. We furnish heat, gas and water. Unfurnished, $30; furnished, $45. Phone 1105. 95t3—42

FOR RENT—Down town, steam heated apartment, rent $50. Cartwright, L. S. & T. Bldg. Phone 728. 95t5—42

FOR RENT—Modern six roomed flat, first floor; rent $35. Call 3793. 95t3*—42

Business Places For Rent

DWELLINGS, flats, offices and store rooms. Make application in person at this office. C. C. Robingson & Co. 90t10—44

Houses For Rent

FOR RENT—House, five room, gas and electric, laundry. Call 3156-R. 1t*—46

FOR RENT—Five rooms and bath on Court street, $35 per month. Immediate possession. 7 room brick house on Edison avenue, garage, $65.00 per month. Seven room house on Shaw St., rent $50 per month. Six room house on Cunningham avenue, double garage. Rent $50 per month. See J. Clyde Gilfillan, Johnson Bldg., Bell 889. 97t3—46

FOR RENT—Six rooms, bath, pantry, finished attic, all other conveniences, close to town, on paved street, $50 per month. Call Nunn's, 807. 1t—46

FOR RENT—7 rooms, bath, all other conveniences, good location, $40 per month. Call Nunn's, 807. 1t—46

FOR RENT—6 rooms and kitchenette, all other conveniences, handy car line and school, garage, paved street, East Side, $50 per month. Call Nunn's, 807. 1t—46

FOR RENT—Seven rooms, all conveniences, at 453 Neshannock Ave., possession at once. Phone 4494. 97t2*—46

FOR RENT—Furnished house, 6 rooms and bath, nicely furnished; best location. Inquire 303 Leasure avenue. 96t3*—46

FOR RENT—Six rooms, bath, electric, furnace, good condition, garage, East Side. Call 2717-W. 96t3*—46

FOR RENT—Storeroom, 34 W. Washington St., $115; apartment, 927 Rose Ave., 5 rooms and bath, gas, electric and furnace, $40; house, 10 N. Beaver St., 9 rooms and bath, gas, electric and furnace, $50. Clare F. DuShane, St. Cloud Bldg. 96t3—46

FOR RENT—Nine rooms and bath, No. 472 Neshannock Ave. Possession Jan. 1st. Can be sublet. Rent $50 a month. E. F. Connelly, Law. Sav. & Trust Bldg. 95t3*—46

FOR RENT—Four rooms and bath, No. 472½ Neshannock Ave., immediate possession. Rent $25 a month. E. F. Connelly, Law. Sav. & Trust Bldg. 95t3*—46

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Business Property For Sale

BERNICE CANDY SHOP in Butler for sale; a good chance for young couple. Apply 526 Safe Deposit & Trust Bldg. 95t5—48

Farms For Sale

FARM BARGAIN—Near improved road, 63 acres, level fields, some wood, 7-room house, 60-ft. barn, fine location near city. Price $2500. Only $800 cash. 28 acres, poultry and truck farm, 6-room house, 26 ft. barn, nice level fields, price $1500. Only $500 cash. Only 20 minutes' drive to city, 5 minutes to improved road. Get new farm circular. Binns & Bausman, Meadville, Pa. 1t*—48

Houses For Sale

FOR SALE—Six room house, gas, electric and bath, newly painted, new furnace; price $3500. See owner, 317 W. Cherry St., Mahoningtown. 97t3*—50

SEVEN room dwelling with large lot, north hill, near Highland Ave., for $6000. At noon ring 4545. 97t2—50

PRICE cut from $8700 to $7350. Seven room house, north hill, paved street, close to car line and school, 5 minutes' walk to town. Property in very best of condition regards to paper, paint, roof, spouting and etc. Finished attic. House all weather stripped past summer. $600 garage. House too large for present owner. Call Gilfillan, 4622-J for other information. 1t—50

FOR SALE—East Side, paved street, close to car line and schools, house of seven rooms, large pantry, finished attic, hardwood finish, built-in china cupboard, corner lot 40 by 140, garage for two cars. Call Nunn's, 807. 1t—50

FOR SALE—North Hill, 6 rooms, bath and attic, hardwood finish, built-in fire place and bookcases, lot 40 by 150. Will sacrifice for quick sale. Call Nunn's, 807. 1t—50

FOR SALE—Fine six room house, just two years old on Meyer avenue. Has all built-in features, fine basement and level lot. All but one bedroom newly papered. This house is priced several hundred dollars less than owner paid and a splendid value at $6800. Terms may be had. See J. Clyde Gilfillan, Johnson Bldg. Bell 889. 97t3—50

FOR SALE—Six room house on Laurel avenue. Has all built-in features including mantle and bookcases, colonade, window seat, clothes chute, etc. Level lot 40x120. This property is very good buy at $7500. Terms. See J. Clyde Gilfillan, Johnson Bldg., Bell 889. 97t3—50

FOR SALE—Moody avenue, near Wilmington avenue and on paved street, a fine six room house with finished third floor. Hardwood finish and modern. Has level lot and garage. Priced low for quick sale as owner is leaving town. Price $7000. Terms to responsible people. See J. Clyde Gilfillan, Johnson Bldg. Bell 889. 97t3—50

SEVEN rooms, gas, electric, garage, extra large lot, handy town. Call 885-M. owner. 96t3*—50

Lots For Sale

FOR SALE—Good lot 40x150 feet; corner Garfield and Blaine St. See Ed. E. Marshall, St. Cloud Bldg. 95t3—51

The News Classified Section is an [illegible] buyers guide; use it every day.

HIGH LIGHTS OF HISTORY

Registered U. S. Patent Office.

River War Vessels.

by J. CARROLL MANSFIELD

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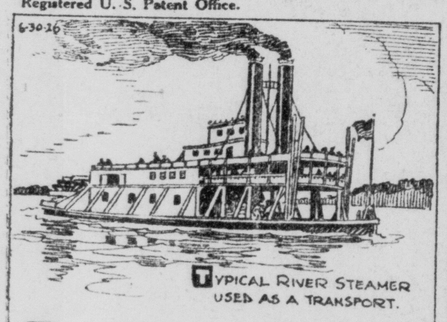
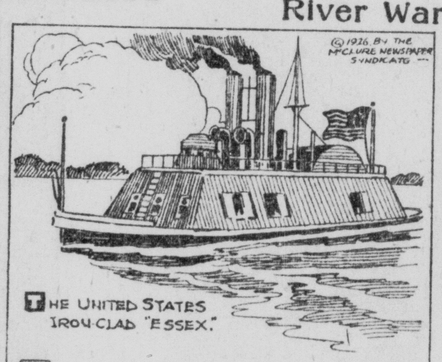


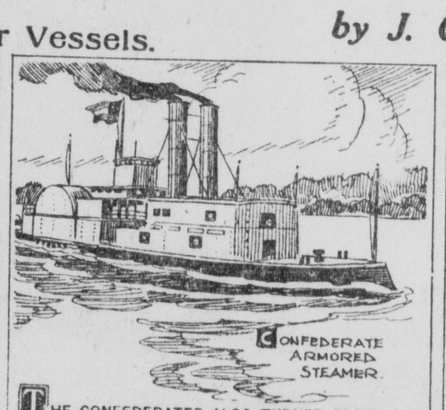
TYPICAL RIVER STEAMER USED AS A TRANSPORT.

IN THE CIVIL WAR, ONE OF THE TASKS OF THE NORTH WAS TO WREST THE CONTROL OF THE MISSISSIPPI AND OTHER INLAND RIVERS FROM THE CONFEDERATES. TO DO THIS WARSHIPS WERE NEEDED AND MANY STRANGE-LOOKING RIVER CRAFT WERE CONVERTED INTO GUNBOATS AND RAMS.



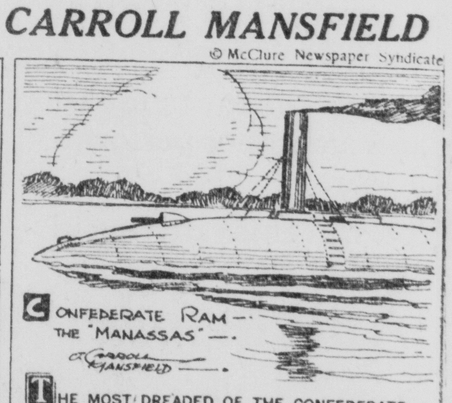
THE UNITED STATES IRON-CLAD "ESSEX."

THE FIRST RIVER GUNBOATS OF THE WAR WERE WOODEN VESSELS, BUT THESE WERE EASILY DAMAGED BY SHELLFIRE AND THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT BEGAN THE CONSTRUCTION OF "IRONCLADS" WHICH COULD BETTER WITHSTAND A BOMBARDMENT.



CONFEDERATE ARMORED STEAMER.

THE CONFEDERATES ALSO TURNED FROM PINE BULWARKS AND COTTON BALES AS A PROTECTION FOR THEIR WAR STEAMERS AND BEGAN CONVERTING THESE VESSELS INTO "IRONCLADS". THE "GEN. STERLING PRICE" (ABOVE) WAS NOT ONLY HEAVILY ARMED BUT WAS EQUIPPED WITH AN .RON PROW FOR RAMMING.



CONFEDERATE RAM — THE "MANASSAS" —.

THE MOST DREADED OF THE CONFEDERATE RIVER WARSHIPS WERE THE RAMS WHICH WERE DESIGNED TO SINK ENEMY SHIPS BY COLLISION. ABOVE IS SHOWN THE "MANASSAS", WHICH WAS BUILT IN THE SHIPYARDS OF NEW ORLEANS AND RENDERED IMPORTANT SERVICE UNTIL HER DESTRUCTION IN 1862.

TOMORROW—THE INLAND NAVY.

Have a House You Want To Sell Or a Room You Want To Rent—Use the Want Ads

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Real Estate Brokers

WE HAVE cash buyers for lots on the north hill. Write or see A. Horowitz, 316 St. Cloud Bldg. Phone 4543.
95t3*—52

Wanted—Real Estate

WANTED—Will lease or buy five to fifty acres of land, with or without buildings, within ten miles of city. Streb, 459 Moore Ave. 1t*—54

AUCTION SALES—LEGAL

Legal Notices

Notice Of Assessment

For paving Fairfield Avenue.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, who is authorized and directed thereto by an ordinance of the City of New Castle, Pa., will on Tuesday, the 11th day of January, A. D. 1927 at 7:30 p. m., at the City Engineer's Office, in the City Building, corner East and Washington Streets, New Castle, Pa., make the assessment for the grading, paving and curbing of Fairfield Avenue, in the Second Ward of said City, between Carlisle Street and Highland Avenue, at which time and place all interested parties are requested to attend.

Notice is hereby also given that on the same day at 8:00 p. m., at the place aforesaid, I will exhibit the schedule of assessments which I shall have then made as aforesaid, at which time any errors or corrections may be made.

F. F. MILLER,
City Engineer of City of New Castle, and Assessor to make said Assessment.
Legal—News—Dec. 27-28-29, 1926.

Administrator's Notice

Letters of administration in the estate of Rhoda M. Calvert, late of the Sixth Ward, New Castle, Lawrence county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Wills of said county, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate to make prompt payment and to those having claims or demands against the estate to make the same known without delay.

THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK OF NEW CASTLE
Administrator
134 E Washington St., New Castle, Pa.
Legal—News—Dec. 15, 22, 29 1926; Jan. 5, 12, 19, 1927.

Executor's Notice

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary in the estate of Anna Rooney, late of the Sixth Ward, New Castle, Pennsylvania, have been issued to John A. Rooney by the Registrar of Lawrence county, Pennsylvania.

All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the said estate will make settlement at once with the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the estate will present them at once to the undersigned.

JOHN A. ROONEY, Executor.
820 Carson St.,
New Castle, Pa.

Roy M. Jamison,
Attorney for Executor,
332 Safe Deposit & Trust Bldg.,
New Castle, Pa.
Legal—News—Dec. 15, 22, 29, 1926; Jan. 5, 12, 19, 1927.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Paul Bronich, Deceased

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

ANTEANY SKARPA,
Administrator.

Or to
George Mashank, Attorney,
302 Dollar Title & Trust Bldg.,
Sharon, Pa.
Legal—News—Dec. 15, 22, 29, 1926; Jan. 5, 12, 19, 1927.

Administrator's Notice.

In the estate of Sampson McQuiston, late of Wayne Township, Lawrence County, Pennsylvania.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration c. t. a. have been granted to the undersigned in the estate of Sampson McQuiston, late of Wayne Township, Lawrence County, Pennsylvania, deceased. All persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent are requested to make the same known, and all persons indebted to the said decedent to make payment without delay.

WALTER U. McQUISTON,
Administrator c. t. a.,
R. D. 1, Ellwood City, Pa.
Wylie McCaslin, Attorney,
New Castle, Pa.
Legal—News—Dec. 8-15-22-29, 1926; Jan. 5-12, 1927.

Administrator's Notice

In the estate of Willis N. Francis, late of the Fourth Ward, New Castle, Lawrence County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration in the estate of Willis N. Francis, of the Fourth Ward, New Castle, Lawrence County, Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned. All persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent are requested to make the same known, and all persons indebted to said decedent to make payment without delay.

M. L. FRANCIS,
Administrator,
New Castle, Pa.
Legal—News—Dec. 8-15-22-29, 1926; Jan. 5-12, 1927.

Dissolution Notice.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Lawrence County, Pennsylvania, No. 8, March Term, 1927.

In the matter of the petition of Guaranty Tri State Realty Company for Decree of Dissolution of said Corporation.

Notice is hereby given that the Guaranty Tri State Realty Company has filed in the above Court its petition praying for a decree of dissolution, and that the Court has fixed Saturday, January 22, 1927, at 9 o'clock A. M., as the time, and the said Court as the place for hearing said petition and application for dissolution, when and where all persons interested can attend and state cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WILLIAM E. PORTER,
Solicitor for Petitioner.
Legal—News—Dec. 22-29, 1926, Jan. 5, 1927.

Auditor's Notice

In the matter of the first and final account of Lawrence Savings and Trust Company, Executor, in the estate of Alfred T. Young, deceased. In the Orphans Court of Lawrence County, Pennsylvania, No. 12, December Term, 1926.

The undersigned Auditor appointed by the said Court to pass upon any exceptions that may be filed to the first and final account filed by the said Accountant, restate the same if necessary and make distribution of the funds in the hands of said Executor, as appears in its said account, to and among those entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office at No. 701 Lawrence Savings & Trust Company Building, in the City of New Castle, Lawrence County, Pennsylvania, on Thursday, January 13, 1927, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which time and place all parties interested are requested to attend.

CLYDE V. AILEY,
Auditor.
Legal—News—Dec. 22-29, 1926, Jan. 5, 1927.

AUCTION SALES—LEGAL

Legal Notices

Administratrix's Notice.

Letters of Administration in the estate of W. Anderson Houk, late of Slippery Rock Township, Lawrence County, Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to me. All persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them to the undersigned.

CYNTHIA S. HOUK,
Administratrix,
Ellwood City, No. 1.
Martin & Martin,
Attorneys.
Legal—News—Dec. 29, 1926, Jan. 5-12-19-26, Feb. 2, 1927.

Executors' Notice

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary for the estate of Issac Sage, late of Shenango Township, have been issued to Vernon L. Sage and Edward M. Frisbee. All persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment and all persons having claims against said estate to present their claims promptly to the undersigned.

VERNON L. SAGE,
813 State Street,
New Castle, Penna.,
EDWARD M. FRISBEE,
Rigby, Penna.,
Executors.

Aiken & Braham,
204 Johnson Building,
New Castle, Penna.
Legal—News—Dec. 29, 1926, Jan. 5-12-19-26, Feb. 2, 1927.

Election Notice.

Bessemer State Bank, Bessemer, Pa.

Election Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Bessemer State Bank will be held at the banking rooms, Bessemer, Penna., on Wednesday, January the 12th, 1927, between the hours of one o'clock and two o'clock P. M. for the election of the Board of Directors to serve during the ensuing year, and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

ADOLPH GREEN,
President.
Legal—News—Dec. 29, 1926, Jan. 5.

N. Y. STOCKS

(International News Service)

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Trading in the stock market settled down to a dull routine in the first hour today. Some recoveries from Tuesday's violent flurry took place in a small number of the speculative favorites but the movement was by no means uniform, selling pressure making itself felt in other sections of the market and causing new declines.

Selling pressure for the year-end settlements was comparatively light, and stocks offered in the process were well absorbed. Professional traders on the floor of the stock exchange continued their efforts to lower prices by pouring in selling orders for American Can, Woolworth and other active stocks which failed to hold their ground yesterday. American Can reached a new low on the move at 49 while Woolworth lost an additional 4 points at 181½.

The decline gained momentum in the second hour as selling in all sections of the market increased in volume. U. S. Steel and Baldwin, with Pullman and other high-priced stocks sold at the lowest price levels of the week, and further shrinkage in values was noted in the principal industrial and motor stocks, rails were inactive and coppers fairly steady.

Call money was unchanged at 5½ per cent.

New York Opening Stock Prices

	High	Low
Amn Bt Sgr	23	23
Amn Can	50	50
A T T	148⅞	148⅞
Amn Woolen	32¼	32¼
Anaconda Cop	48	48
Bald Loco	161¼	161¼
B and O	106¾	106⅝
Beth Stl	47⅝	47
C and O	162	162
Corn Prod	50	50
Cuba Cane Sug	10	10
Erie	40	40
Gen Elec	84⅞	84⅞
Gen Mtrs	155⅝	155
Int Nick	37¾	37⅝
Int Paper	55	55
N Y Ctrl	141¼	141¼
NY NH and Htfd	42	42
Norf and West	157½	157½
P R R	56¾	56⅝
Reading	94	94
Stdbkr	54	53¼
U S Stl	156⅞	156
Westinghouse	68⅞	68⅞
Coca Cola	172	172
Int Harv	142¼	142½
Mack Trck	97½	97
Marland	57¼	56⅝
Owens Bot	77⅞	77⅞
Stew-Warn	64	64

STOCK PRICES AT 12:30 P. M.

Furnished by Kay, Richards & Co., 234 Safe Deposit & Trust Bldg.

Ajax Rubber	9½
Allied Chem	185⅛
Allis Chlm	89
Am Can	49¼
Am Loco	108¾
Am Smelters	144
Am Sugar	80¼
Am Tele & Tele	148¾
Am Woolens	33
Anaconda	47⅞
Atchison	165
Atl G & W I	40¼
Atl Refining	114½
Baldwin	162
B & O	106¾
Bethlehem	46¾
Calif Pete	31
C & O	162
C Rk Island	68
Chrysler	42
Colo Fuel	43½
Crucible	79⅞
Dodge Bros	27
Erie	40½
Fisk	101½
Gen Elect	84½
Gen Mtrs	155½
Gt Northern pfd	82½
Gulf States	55
Hudson Mtrs	52¼
Indep Oil & Gas	20
Inter Nickel	38½
Jordan Mtrs	20½
Mack Truck	97½
Marland Oil	57½
M K & T	82½
Mo Pacific	88
Pan Am Pete "B"	67¼
Penna R. R.	56⅝
Pierce Arrow	22⅝
Pure Oil	27½
Radio	56½
Rep I & Steel	56¼
Simms Pete	19⅞
Sinclair Oil	19
Std of Indiana	68¾
Std of New Jersey	38⅝
Std of New York	22⅞
Stewart Warner	64
Studebaker	53⅝
Texas Co	56⅜
Timken Roller Brng	80⅝
U S Cast I Pipe	220¼
U S Rubber	58½
U S Steel	157
Wabash "A"	75½
Warner Bros "A"	42
Westinghouse	68⅞
White Mtrs	57¼
Willys Overland	22

NEW KIWANIS OFFICERS TAKE UP NEW DUTIES

Formal Installation Ceremonies Are Conducted At Y. M. C. A. At Noon

This was installation day at the New Castle Kiwanis club at the noon hour meeting at the Y. M. C. A., and the newly elected officers of the club put on the robes of authority which the members of the club have seen fit to bestow upon them.

Rev. C. J. Williamson, pastor of the Highland U. P. church, the new president, was introduced by the retiring president, Atotrney Thomas W. Dickey. The word retiring is used in its strictest sense.

Following the installation of President Williamson, Past President James K. Love presented Mr. Dickey with a past president's pin, the emblem of past authority.

W. F. Moody acted as installation chairman and installed the vice presidents, Henry W. Goldberg and C. B. Phillips. Mr. Goldberg was installed "in absentia" while Captain Phillips was present in person, not a moving picture.

Treasurer Robert L. Meermans, who has been getting installed for these many years, was installed again and in all probability will be this time next year and the year after.

Past President Dickey now assumes the role of trustee and will represent the club at the various conventions.

There was little music at the meeting today, the "Swan Song" being the one most favored. Rev. Williamson, the new president, made his inaugural address in which he declared for a bigger and better club, touched upon the budget system and made no reference to the protective tariff or the possibilities of election reform in Pennsylvania.

Nine directors were also inducted.

LIVESTOCK MARKET

(International News Service)

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 29.—Cattle supply light, market steady; choice, 975-10; prime, 9-965; good, 925-10; tidy butchers, 850-9; fair, 775-825; common, 625-725; common to good fat bulls, 450-725; common to good fat cows, 325-575; heifers, 725-8; fresh cows and springers, $50-$100; veal calves, 1650; heavy and thin calves blank.

Sheep and lambs—Supply 1,000, market steady; prime wethers, blank, good 750, good mixed blank, fair mixed blank, culls and common blank, lambs 1325, spring lambs blank.

Hogs—Receipts 1,500, market higher; prime heavy hogs, 1290-13; heavy mixed, 1290-13; mediums, 13-1315; heavy yorkers, 13-1315; light yorkers, 13-1315; pigs, 13-1315; rougs, 1050-1150; stags, 5-750.

The Golden West

By OWEN PENFIELD FOX.

The Golden West,
Where winds across the prairie,
Blow the scent of sage.

The Golden West,
Where lies a trail,
So yellow in the Sun.

The Golden West,
Where Clouds like Dreams,
Drift by,—one by one.

The Golden West,
Where prairie breezes,
Moan and croon.

The Golden West,
Where hanging low, the moon,
Casts shadows in the night.

The Golden West,
Where stars peep out,
Among the blue.

The Golden West,
My dreams and visions,
All come true.

Summer or winter, good times or bad, there is never a time when good salesmen are not in demand. Look for your opportunity in the Classified ads. If you excel in some special line, write a brief description of your ability and publish it for the attention of all possible employers.

Don't Gamble With Safety

In its effort to promote safety among automobile drivers, the safety section of the American Railway Association is reprinting over the country the following article, which appeared in the Albany, Ga., Herald, relative to a tragic accident which occurred at a grade crossing in Welborn, Fla.

"Six persons were killed on a grade crossing at Welborn, Fla., Wednesday—a young woman, her mother, mother-in-law and her two little daughters, aged six and three years respectively. The sixth member of the party was a friend, the wife of the Wellborn postmaster.

"Somebody was careless. Somebody 'took a chance'. The grade crossing was a warning to be cautious, to obey the command painted on the sign, to 'Stop, look and listen'. That would have assured safety for the party of six in the automobile.

"But it was easier to take a chance. It meant the saving of a quarter of a minute. It meant avoiding the necessity of stopping and starting. And it meant—death.

"The thousands of grade crossing horrors that occur annually in the United States indict the motoring public of indifference that is inexcusable, of carelessness that is criminal. An automobile has no chance when it disputes a crossing with a flying train weighing hundreds of tons. It will be hurled from the track a mass of tangled wreckage and only as the result of a miracle can any of its occupants escape death or serious injury.

"Why gamble with fate at the grade crossing?

"Why date death for the sake of 10 or 15 seconds saved, even if the journey is important?

"Why take it for granted that you, Mr. or Mrs. or Miss Car Driver, are luckier than thousands were who have died at grade crossings?

"Gamble if you will, but don't gamble with human lives. When you reach a grade crossing, be sure you can get across before you start across."

Shanklin May Be Taken Back To Mercer County

(Special To The News)

MERCER, Pa., Dec. 29.—Sheriff W. A. Bone went to Pittsburgh today to comply with a ruling of the court hearing the habeas corpus petition of F. M. Shanklin which was heard Monday. The ruling was that Sheriff Bone must compiy with the wording of the law which is to the effect that before a prisoner be confined in the Western penitentiary he must have first been taken from the jail of the county of his conviction.

When Shanklin was taken to the Western penitentiary following his conviction and appeal he was taken from a Pittsburgh hotel. Upon this technicality he bases his habeas corpus appeal.

If he insists he can be brought back to the Mercer jail and then taken to the Western penitentiary or he can sign a waiver in the penitentiary.

Richard And Mary Granted Divorce

PARIS, Dec. 29—Mary Caldwell, known on the American stage as Mary Hay, and Richard Barthelmess, motion picture star, have been granted a divorce by the Paris courts.

Mary Hay today admitted that the divorce had been granted a week ago and that the decree had been officially recorded, although not made public in accordance with the useage of the French divorce courts.

Eighty-Four Get Increases

Council Action Of Tuesday Benefits Many City Employes

RATE OF SALARY FOR EMPLOYES GIVEN

Eighty-four persons employed by the city of New Castle received a belated Christmas gift yesterday when city council decided to raise salaries in certain departments.

Members of the police and fire departments, according to the appropriation ordinance, were granted a monthly increase of $12.50. The superintendent of garbage collection received a similar raise.

The assistant commissioner of streets had his salary increased $13.33 a month and the clerk to the street commissioners was granted a raise of $9 a month.

There is said to be some question in city hall as to whether the ordinance will affect the fire chief. It may be necessary to pass an additional ordinance to make a change in the fire chief's salary. The technicality involved is whether the chief of the fire department comes under the head of "elective officers" or not. The matter is being looked into by council, as it has been the intention to include the fire chief in the salary increases.

When the council discussed increases the solons decided that they could not increase the salary of the street commissioner, inasmuch as he came under the "elective officer" class.

According to a member of council today, the chief of police is not included in the same category as the chief of the fire department and there can be no question as to his raise.

There are 45 members in the police department and 36 in the fire department who will enjoy the raise.

The other three members who will net a larger stipend from the city of New Castle during 1927 are the assistant street commissioner, superintendent of garbage and street department clerk.

Petitions for a raise, submitted by electricians and sanitary policemen, did not receive favorable action. Branches of the city government who did not petition for raises received none.

The monthly rates for 1926 and 1927, to be paid those affected by the salary increases follow:

	1926	1927
Fire chief	$165.00	$177.50
Assistant chief	148.50	161.00
Fire captains	142.50	155.00
Firemen, priv.	137.50	150.00
Police chief	165.00	177.50
Police lieut.	154.00	166.50
Police captain	158.00	170.50
Police sergeants	143.00	155.50
Patrolmen	137.50	150.50
Supt. garbage	137.50	150.00
Ass't St. com.	133.33	146.66
St. com. clerk	90.00	99.00

Judge Refuses To Quash Motion In Rubber Case

(International News Service)

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 29. — Minority stockholders who are attempting to gain hold of the controlling reins of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber company, now held by F. A. Seiberling, president, won a point in their suit here today when Federal Judge John M. Killits denied a motion to quash the action.

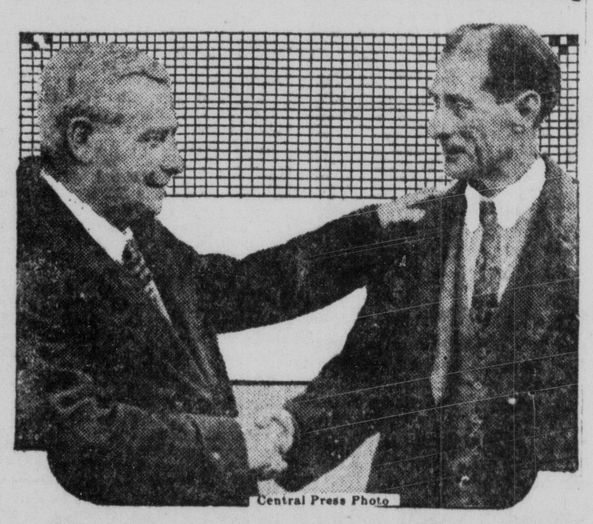
The motion was based on the ground of non-jurisdiction, the defendants claiming that Mrs. Katherine G. Benedict, in whose name the suit was brought was a non-resident and that the local court could not function.

Mrs. Benedict's motion for a temporary injunction seeking to restrain Seiberling and his associates from acting as common stock trustees, will come before the court this afternoon.

The document alleges that the Goodyear officials have used the power of a common rating trust invested in them to favor rival competitive companies in which they are interested.

Amercanism: Following the crowd; scolding because the place is so crowded.

Vaudeville Act Unites Brothers



Central Press Photo

While watching a vaudeville act in a Spokane, Wash., theater, Joe Honey, left learned that the man on the stage was his long lost brother, Alfred Honey, from whom he hadn't heard in 35 years. Now they have promised to keep in touch with each other.

Loans To War Veterans On Policies Effective; Will Release Large Sums

By CHARLES P. STEWART
Exclusive Central Press Dispatch to New Castle News.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—World War Veterans' insurance policies have a cash value beginning Jan. 1.

That is to say, dating from then, policies which have been in force for as much as two years can be put up as security for loans. The Veterans' Bureau hopes very few of them will be "hocked" thus. It would rather see each veteran keep his policy intact until it matures, in 20 years, and then get the full amount it represents. Or, if he dies in the meantime, the bureau would like to have his family get the whole sum he is insured for, rather than have part of the money diverted, to pay debts.

Still, the veteran who chooses, provided his policy is of two years' standing, can use it to realize a little ready money, and the prediction is freely made that so many will do so as to put a lot of extra currency in circulation in the course of the coming year.

Technical Definition

According to an underwriter's strict definition, the World War veteran does not hold a policy, but what is known as an "adjusted service certificate," which amounts substantially to the same thing.

This the veteran hypothecates, if he desires to make it serve as security for a loan.

A certificate's loan value, strictly fixed by the government, begins at about 8½ per cent of its face and gardually increases as the certificate draws nearer and nearer to maturity.

Aregularly organized bank or trust company must make the loan. Otherwise the government will not recognize it. Neither can the Veterans' Bureau make loans.

Upon borrowing money, with his certificate as collateral, the veteran surrenders the certificate to his creditor. Should he fail to pay, the bank or trust company forwards the certificate and its debtor's note to the government, which pays the debt, and continues the balance of the insurance, for the benefit of the veteran or his heirs.

General Frank T. Hines, Director of Veterans' Bureau.

Not Much At Beginning

At the 8½ per cent rate the veteran will be unable to make serious inroads into his future. As his certificate nears maturity he can, by degrees, eat most of his deferred bonus up.

Adjusted service certificates will become available for loan purposes in 1927 to the number of more than three million, representing a face value of three billion, 137 million and nearly 670 thousand dollars, or a loan value of 262 million and nearly 550 thousand.

Veterans' Bureau estimates of loan values which will become available in 1928 are nearly 371 millions; in 1929, more than 482 millions; in 1930, a little short of 591 millions.

Borrowing May Be Heavy

How heavy the borrowing will be is anybody's guess. The Veterans' Bureau surmises that the average man's inclination to keep his life insurance unencumbered, if possible, will have a restraining influence.

Nevertheless, it is forseen that the demand for current funds, especially in such sections as the corn and cotton belts, where money is not too plentiful at present, will be considerable.

As securities, the adjusted service certificates, of course, are gilt edged, but the elaborate precautions provided by the government to protect the veterans from gouging are relied on as a guarantee against any accumulation of them in greedy or unscrupulous hands. The indirect cashing of the certificates, by degrees, at some discount, unquestionably is to be expected in an uncertain share of cases, but anything in the nature of the exploitation of needy veterans' necessities is regarded by federal authorities in charge of their interests as an impossibility.

Detective Offices Now Well Fitted

Furniture And Equipment Added Makes Department Headquarters Efficient

For the examination of prisoners and the taking of their fingerprints the detective section of the New Castle police department now has one of the best equipped offices of any department in this section.

The workroom of the detectives of the New Castle police force is located on the second floor of the patrol barn and through the efforts of Mayor William H. Dunlap and the courtesy of numerous friends of the police department it is now completely outfitted for every possible activity of the city's detectives with the exception of equipment to develop the pictures of prisoners.

There is a fine office desk donated to the police this Christmas, chairs, rug, many other articles of furniture suitable for an office, picture taking machine, fingerprint machine and other equipment too numerous to mention, much of which has been donated for the purpose by friends of the department.

In the past it has been necessary to litter the place up with evidence secured in various types of cases. This is no longer necessary and the room formerly occupied on the same floor by the sealer of weights and measures is now used for that purpose.

The result is that the place presents an attractive and well ordered appearance at all times.

PULASKI NEWS

WATCH PARTY

The Young People's Council of Pulaski District Sunday School Association will hold a watch party on Friday, December 31st, in the basement of the Presbyterian church. There will be games, music and a debate. "Resolved that a good Housewife with a poor disposition is better than a poor housewife with a good disposition."

Mr. and Mrs Chas. Simpson entertained at dinner at their home recently. Covers were arranged for eleven. The table was attractively decorated in Christmas colors. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson, Miss Eleanore Anderson and Ellen Cotton of New Wilmington, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Allen of West Middlesex, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Simpson and son Chas. of Youngstown.

Mrs. Mary Adams of Ellwood City is spending several days in town the guest of Mrs. William Cover.

Leon and Esther Rose Shannon of Erie are spending the week at Hotel Pulaski, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Black and Mrs. J. W. Smith.

Calvin Crawford of Pittsburgh is spending his vacation the guest of his cousin Everett Wallace and grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crawford.

Miss Wilma Mitcheltree has returned home after visiting Miss Elizabeth Mitcheltree of West Middlesex.

James Riblet has received word that his son in law Mayo Porter of New Castle was taken to the hospital on Monday afternoon pending an operation.

Miss Ella Kane of Warren, O., was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kane.

Mrs. Dora Onstott and son Joe were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark.

Miss Lenore Taylor, student at Indiana State Normal is spending her Christmas vacation with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Frederick Taylor.

Mrs. Laurance Mitcheltree was a New Castle visitor Monday evening.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Pulaski Fair Association will be held at Hotel Pulaski, on Thursday evening, December 30th.

Chas. Wick was a visitor in New Castle Tuesday afternoon.

BRITISH GOLFERS TO VISIT ARGENTINE

(International News Service)

LONDON, Dec. 29.—Two British golfers will shortly pay a visit to the Argentine for the first time in the history of British golf.

Aubrey Boomer, the famous professional, and his brother, Percy, will sail on January 14 for a three months' visit as the guests of the Mar del Plata Golf Club. They will play their first match at Santos.

Sketches from Life ∴ ∴ By Temple

Since she gave Jimmy her picture, his home work is O. K.

See Some Effort To Amend Immigration Restriction Measure

By WILLIAM S. NEAL.
International News Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The restrictive immigration law is scheduled to face a barrage of amendments from a large congressional group as soon as congress gets back to work.

The controversy is expected to revolve chiefly around the so-called "national origins' provision which President Coolidge is directed to proclaim by April 1 and around the charges that the 1924 law inhumanely separates families of immigrants.

The greatest obstacle faced by those demanding changes it is admitted, is the expressed fear of the immigration bloc that a "whittling down" process will ensue which will threaten the entire policy of selective and restricted immigration.

President Coolidge has been advised that it is mandatory upon him to proclaim the "national origins" provisions. The law required the chief executive to do this if quotas would be worked out.

A virtual flood of propaganda for repeal of this section has swelled in from Scandinavian strongholds. Senator Shipstead (F.L.) of Minnesota is expected to lead the senate fight for repeal.

Under the "national origins" section the annual quota of immigrants would be cut from 164,000 to 150,000. Quotas would be in proportion to the past contribution of any nationality to American population as revealed by the 1920 census.

Father's Blessing Is 15 Years Late

Mariner's Daughter, Wed Without Permission, Finally Meets Parent On Dock

BOSTON, Dec. 29.—Fifteen years ago Agnes Sweeney wrote to her father for permission to marry Daniel Ballou, Cambridge. The other day she was granted permission, although she had married Ballou and has two children.

No answer to her letter ever came to Mrs. Ballou. Inquiries to the steamship company with which her father sailed as ship's carpenter brought the information he had joined the British navy. Later she was informed he was killed in action at the Dardanelles.

Several days ago Mrs. Ballou read that a large cargo of captured wild animals for the zoo in Washington, D. C., was being brought to this port on board the British steamer City of Calcutta by the Smithsonian-Chrysler expedition. Little Walter, 7, and Edith, 6, wanted to see the animals.

They went to the ship with their mother. Mrs. Ballou saw a figure which reminded her of her father. He turned and they looked at each other's eyes.

Sweeney is ship's carpenter on the City of Calcutta. He had never received his daughter's letter. He thought she was dead.

Ah, well; those who now fear for the young once hid in the barn to smoke and to read Deadwood Dick.

New Year's Eve

DANCE FROLIC

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E. Washington Street

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The Paradise Seven

"The Seven Melody Kings"

First Appearance in New Castle

Dancing 9:00 to 1:00

Gentlemen 75c Ladies 25c

NEW YEAR'S NIGHT

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THE VERNON SERENADERS

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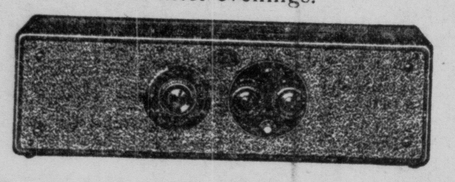

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Pupils Present Holiday Program At White School

Many patrons and parents enjoyed the Christmas program given by the children of White school. The following program was given.

Welcome—William Foster.
I'd Like to Know—Ruth Fox.
Christmas Shopping — Third Grade.
It Pays—Hulda Perkins.
Who Is It?—Archie Davies.
Exercise, Last Year's Dollies — Second Grade Girls.
Recitation—William Dewberry.
Song, 'Tis Christmas — Third Grade.
Why?—Louis Grglean.
Santa Claus—Betty J. Buchanan.
Christmas Baking—Irene Calderwood.
Chimney's Size—Myrle Pollard.
Sing a Song—Joseph Cunningham.
Exercise, Christmas Bells—Third Grade Girls.
Recitation, Santa Claus is Coming—Marie Wilson.
Christmas Stars—Gerald Hays.
Play, Christmas at Aunt Jane's—Third Grade.
Christmas Secrets — Josephine Via.
Merry Christmas—Helen Cox.
O Christmas Tree—Edward Robinson.
Santa's Lunch—Jane Morgan.
Song, Santa Land—First Grade.
Exercise, Christmas Candles — Second Grade Boys.
Recitation, Christmas Stocking—Junior Gardocky.
Song—Jolly, jolly Santa Claus.
Recitation, Scaring Santa—Leon Robinson.
Exercise, Writing a Letter—First Grade.
Song, Santa's Helpers — Second Grade.
If Santa Lived in a Shoe—Petronella Broochart.
First Christmas—Sara Eve.
Brightest Star—Charlotte Wellendorf.
Around the Christmas Tree — Rose Chill.
Christmas Tree—Sara Pauline.
Exchange of Christmas presents.

The children were given a bountiful treat by their teachers, Edna M. Robison and Erna C. Suhre.

AGED CONNELLSVILLE NEGRO "HEARS" HORN OF GABRIEL"; GONE

CONNELLSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 29.—Police here are searching for David A. Johnson, 69 years old, a negro, who on December 16 declared to his wife: "I've heard the blowing of Gabriel's trumpet summoning me on high and I know I'll be dead on Christmas day."

On Christmas eve he failed to return home from the store where he was janitor and has not been seen since.

TRAIN KILLS "VET" CONDUCTOR

ROCHESTER, Pa., Dec. 29.—Charles E. Kindle, 51 years old, Pennsylvania railroad conductor, was killed when he stepped in front of a freight train in the Conway yards. He was a conductor for more than 25 years.

NEW YEAR'S FROLIC

PENN

Friday Night, Dec. 31st.

Doors Open at 11:30; Fun Starts at 12.

—ON THE SCREEN—

The snappiest, spiciest picture of the year. Full of pretty girls and peppy scenes.

—ON THE STAGE—

Seven Pretty Ones

THE SYNCOPATING SIRENS

Just the kind you want to see at midnight.

And "Our Gang" Too

All the funny little rascals in

"UNCLE TOM'S UNCLE"

Films Lose Her

Jobyna Ralston.

Now that Jobyna Ralston has made her last picture with Harold Lloyd, she is to accept a stage offer. While under contract to the comedian she appeared in several dramatic offerings.

INCLINE CAR DROPS 200 FEET AT PITTSBURGH

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 29.—Plunging 200 feet down a steep incline on a temporary track laid up the side of Mt. Washington here, a car containing a workman crashed into the landing platform, striking a second laborer and narrowly avoiding a group of 12 others.

Luke Carr who remained in the car during its wild plunge down the incline and Jess Clifton, platform worker were removed to a hospital where they were being treated for bruises.

The car and platform were demolished in the crash and workmen were showered with debris.

The men were laying a temporary track for the Walter S. Rae Construction company.

Spelling Bee At Enon Valley Thursday Night

Old-fashioned spelling bee is one of the features of the New Year community social to be held in the Community building at Enon Valley Thursday evening December 30.

Everyone in the community is cordially invited to come and join in the fun and games. A good program has been prepared and all are promised a good time.

Two Miners Are Killed In Blast

(International News Service)

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Dec. 29.—Two young miners were killed early today in a gas explosion in the Acosta mine of the Consolidated Coal company at Acosta near here. They were George Meholic, 22, single, and Robert Singo, 30, married.

Meholic and Singo were the only miners at work when the blast occurred. A fire boss found their lifeless bodies about three miles from the mine entrance.

Mine officials are investigating the cause of the explosion.

Social position is relative. It depends on living in a town where people are less important than yourself.

Battery Water, Polar Brand, 22c Bottle

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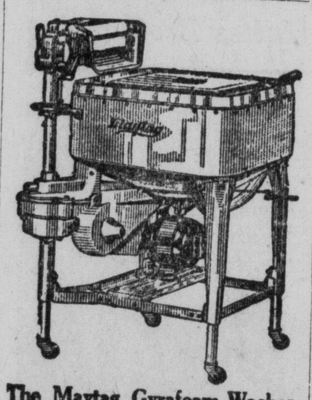

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COATS and DRESSES

Coats Reduced To $98.00

Beautiful fur trimmed Coats in the handsomest winter shades, as well as black. All of them exclusive models which sold up to $139. Choice now, $98.

Coats Reduced To $69.00

These are some of the nicest Coats we have in our department. Luxurious fur trimmings of squirrel, Fitch, beaver and fox. Former values to $119. Choice now $69.

Coats Reduced To $39.75

Durable, beautiful fabrics and handsome furs are represented in this group. They are Coats that women take pride and pleasure in wearing. Former values to $58. Choice now $39.75.

Coats Reduced To $16.75

Sports Coats and Dress Coats are represented in this group. All have fur collars. Some have fur collars and cuffs. Former values to $29.75. Choice now $16.75.

FUR COATS at Greatly Reduced Prices

Three Important Groups of Dresses

Dresses Reduced To $10.00

Wool Dresses for sports and business wear. Sizes 16 to 48. Former values to $25. Choice now $10.

Dresses Reduced To $10.00

Silk Dress, Velvet, Velvet and Silk combinations in one and two-piece models. Sizes 16 to 48. Regular $15 Dresses now $10.

Dresses Reduced To $22.50

Afternoon and evening Dresses in this group. Beautiful metal brocades. Velvets and silk crepes in the choosing. Former values to $35. Choice now $22.50.

Well Baby Clinic

Beginning Thursday and continuing every Thursday of each week, we will resume the Well Baby Clinic in the Third Floor Club Rooms.

Well-known local doctors and experienced nurses in attendance.

Toys Reduced

Third Floor

Pre-Inventory Days At This Store

Every department throughout the store offers new low prices on odd lots and counter mussed merchandise, affording many opportunities to save money on useful and desirable merchandise.

Fancy Goods, Silks, Lamps, Toys and many other items are now gathered together and marked at prices irresistibly low for quick selling.

All merchandise returned for exchange must be accompanied by sales slip.

Thirty Children's Warm Winter Coats Now Offered At Exactly One-Half Off Original Price

Sizes 2 to 6 Years

Second Floor

Cocoa Door Mats, 59c

144 mats to go on sale tomorrow at a real low price. Very serviceable mats to protect the carpets and rugs from dirt, slush and snow.

Third Floor

New Castle Dry Goods Co.

EDENBURG

The members of the M. E. church presented the play "Make Believe Santa Claus" in a very pleasing manner on Thursday evening and at the close the pastor and his wife Rev. and Mrs. Burlett were presented with a purse of money and a casserole from the Bible classes.

Revival meetings are being held all this week in the M. E. church.

Bible school at ten and church at eleven o'clock Sunday, January 2. Sermon subject, "The Church of the Living God." Service in the evening at 7:30. Sermon subject, "Christ the Head of the Church." At the close of the sermon a short talk will be given on the "Hurricane Disaster in Florida." Special music at both services will be given by the choir. Rev. L. L. Howe, recently from Miami, Fla., will be present.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Hofmeister entertained at a family dinner on Christmas Day. The guest list included: John R. Foley and family, and Oliver Hofmeister of Cleveland, O., Mrs. Thomas McGraw and son, Wilbur, Mrs. Emerson Morrow and daughter Jessie, John and Bessie Hofmeister.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wigton entertained at a family dinner on Christmas Day. The guest list included: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Taylor and daughter, Mrs. Ida Walding and daughter Katharine, all of New Castle, and Olive and Joe Wigton.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rodgers of the North Side entertained at Christmas dinner. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rodgers and daughter Norma, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Park and son Randall and Earl Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mack and children and Mrs. Priscilla Stanley were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wright on Christmas Day.

Mrs. Elizabeth Mitcheltree and son Carl, entertained at a family dinner Christmas Day. The guests were: Rev. and Mrs. L. C. Houe, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stanley and Miss Blanche Robinson all of New Castle, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Clark, Mrs. Adda Robinson and Mrs. Jessie Wilson all of Sunnyside.

Mrs. Laura Coates and son Fred and daughter Adda, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Coates and daughter Doris, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Park, Mrs. Wayne Ashton, Mr. and Mrs. Blaine McCullough were guests over Christmas of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hofmeister at Ashtabula, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Louden entertained at dinner Christmas Day, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Raub and daughter June, Laurie Wighton and daughter Sadie and son Scharlie and Carl and William Louden were present.

Louis Snider of Wheeling, W. Va., is a guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McGuire and daughter Donna June of Cleveland, O., J. R. McGuire and daughter Lucille, and Miss Iron Walter of Mahoningtown and Charles McGuire of the University of Michigan called on friends in town Sunday.

Friday evening, December 24, Miss Jessie Bonnett entertained at her home in honor of the 25th wedding anniversary of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Bonnett of Edenburg. The house was profusely decorated in holiday colors and the honor guests were presented with many beautiful presents all in silver. One of them being a silver dollar coined in 1901. The evening was spent in social chat, radio music. Santa Claus made merriment for the children and presented them each with a gift. A delicious luch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Eva Kimmel, Mrs. Bella Mitchell, and Mrs. Erna Raub. The guest list included, Rev. and Mrs. Barlett and son Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Verdon Mitchell and son Jimmey, Mrs. Elizabeth Mitcheltree, Wilson Raub, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Raub and daughter Freda and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hewitt and sons James and Edwin, all of Edenburg. Out of town guests were, Mr. and Mrs. Kennon Kimmel of Poland, Mrs., D. F. Bonnet of Middletown, Glenn Ward of Niles, Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Mitchell and daughter Isabelle, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Raub and children Lester and Edurna, all of New Castle.

Services will be held in the Edenburg M. E. church each night this week beginning at 7:30 o'clock. The general topic for the week is, "Seek ye first the kingdom of God." "The Lord's Supper" will be observed Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings. Good Gospel in sermon and song will be assured each evening. "Come thou with us and we will do thee good."

Rev. and Mrs. S. H. Barlett and son Arthur and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cover were entertained at Christmas dinner at the home of Mrs. Clarence McConnell of Erie street.

Watch Night Service In Bethel Church

Watch Night services will be conducted Friday evening. New Year's Eve in the Bethel A. M. E. church on Green street, beginning at 10:30 o'clock.

An interesting program will be carried out at this time in charge of the pastor Rev. W. O. Davis.

HIGHWAY PATROL KILLS MAN

GALLIPOLIS, O., Dec. 29.—John Sizemore, 55 years old, a road patrolman, surrendered after shooting to death Lunda Keen, near Raceland, Ky., opposite Ironton O. The shooting was the result of a quarrel at a party last night in the home of Sizemore's brother.

Most of the big jobs are held by men who couldn't even name three naughty magazines.

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BARGAINS GALORE

Hundreds of people took advantage of this wonderful sale yesterday.

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